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Arrivals.	Banks.	Intimations.	Auctions	Notices of Firms.	Intimations.	Intimations.
June 8. Emgu. Brit. str., 1,539, Babot,	L ONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION.	THE OHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).	PUBLIC AUCTION.	MR. CHARLES JAMES HOLLTDAY is authorised to sign our firm per procure.	NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.	EUREKA VARIETY TROUPE. W. E. ROGERS
-Shanghai 3rd June, 1,100 tons Ten P. &.O. Co. June 8, Sunda, Brit. str., 1,683, Cates,	SUBSCRIBEDCAPITAL 5,000,000 of Dollars.	CAPITAL-1,500,000 DOLLARS, IN 1.500 SHARES OF 1,000 DOLLARS EACH.	T ANE ORAWFORD & Co. will sell by	tion from this date. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.	CAPITAL SH. TLS. 1,500,000 IN 1,000	OHAS, RHOADESStage Munoger. LUSITANO THEATRE.
Bombay May 18th, and Singapore June 1st, General—P. & O. Co.	Chairman—Hon, R. ROWETT. Deputy Chairman—T. Prke, Esq.	and the state of t	Queen's Road, THIS DAY.	1m 949 Hongkong, 2nd June, 1871. NOTICE. NAT R. CHARLES LYALL GRANT was ad-	SHARES OF TLS. 1,500 EACH. SUBSCRIBED UAPITAL SH. TLS. 300,000	CATURDAY, 10th JUNE, 1871,
June 8, Kwangrund, Brit. str., 490, Pitman, Foochow June 6th, and Amoy 7th,	R. R. Bolikos, Esq. Wm. Lomann, Esq.	W. H. Condit, Esq., (Messra, Smith, Archer	the 9th June, 1871, at noon. An Invoice of Cut GLASSWARE, com-	IVI mitted a Partner in our Firm on the	OR TLS. 800 PER SHARE. Provisional Committee	BENEFIT
General.—D. Laphaik & Co. June 8, Thomas Brown, Brit. bk., 278, Steele Newcastle, N.S.W., April 20th,	A. Joost, Eeq. Managers;	1 / 4 / 4 / 全) 作品 () しわた () 4 / 3 / 3 / 3 () () () () () () () () () (prising Port, Sherry Cluret, Liqueur and Champions GLASSES, TUMBLERS, DE-	1m 892 Ohma and Japan, 15th may, 10tt.	E. H. LAVERS, Esq. Chairman, Messra. Gilman	OHARLEY BHOADES,
Steele, Newcastle, N.S.W., April 20th, 360 fons Coal.—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.	Acting Chief Manager. Shanghai—David McLean, Esq.	Limited.) HERMANN MELCHERS, Esq., (Messrs, Melobers	Resma Conving PAPER, 2 lbs. Tine Boast	HE Partnership bitherto existing between:	F. PORTER, Esq., Messra. Gibb, Livingston & Co. E. O. SMITH, Esq., Messra. Turner & Co.	A ROARING BILL WILL BE PRESENTED.
	London Bankers—London and County Bank. HONGKONG.	& Co.) Е. А. Нітснооск, Esq., (Messrs. Clyphant &	BEEF, Roast MUTTON, Roast VEAL and	Holmes Winn, as Dental Surgeons, is this day dissolved by mutual consent and the effort	J. I. MILLER, Esq., Mesers. J. Jarvie & Co., A. Schroers, Esq., Mesers, Textor & Co.	Come one, come all, both Great and Small: Just tumble along and pack the Hall.
June 8, Hondrong, for Bangkok.	On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of I	And Two Chinese merchants to be selected by the native shareholders after the allotment	An assortment of Japanese CURIOS. An Invoice of PEROALE and MADAPO.	w. C. EASTLACK, D.D.S. H. H. WINN, D.D.S.	H. G. PEMBERTON, Eag., Measra. Adamson Bell & Co.	PRICES OF ADMISSION. \$2 00
Clearances.	per cent. per annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits:— For 3 months 2 per cent. per annum.	of shares.	LAM for Indies Dresses. &c. 12 Choice Unlifornian CHEESE. 3 Cases BUTTER, in Bottles.	2m 867 Hongkong, 8th May, 1871	HEAD OFFICE, SHANGHAL.	Parquette
AT THE HABROUR MASTER'S OFFICE, -	12 5	THE CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON & CHINA.	AL 25 Cases CHAMPAGNE, pints, "Sillery	Hongkong, China and Japan, 1st May, 1871	resolved to form a Company for a further period.	open at 8.30, performance to commence at 9
British Empire, for Saigon. Afonne, for Saigon.	Credite granted on approved Securities, and	HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG	2 CHAMPAGNE, quarts, "Sillery grand Monsseux." 10 Cases good dinner SHERRY.	1m 844]	of three years from 1st January, 1872, to be called the North China Insurance Company," and the Directors of the present Company 1869.	o'clock precisely. 987 Hongkong, 9th June, 1871 STEAM TO SHANGHAL.
Morewell, for Salgon.	Drafts—granted on London, and the chief	General Agents—Messrs. OLYPHANT & Co.	(In account of the concerned) 5 Bales, each 50 Pieces 8-41bs. SHIRTINGS,	R. GEORGE S. HARDY is authorized to sign our Firm, per procuration, in Foc-	71 were appointed a Provisional Committee for that purpose 2 3 and a war a market with the start of	THE P. & O. S. N. Co. a steamship.
Western He, for Foochow. Mailland, for Foochow. Emma, for Foochow.	commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. JAMES GREIG, Acting Chief Manager.	Mossis H. A. Petersen & Co.		chow, from this date. BIRLEY & Co. 11 804 Hongkong, 8th May, 1871.	At an adjourned meeting of intending share- holders, held on 22nd May, 1871, a draft Pro- spectus was submitted, and a resolution passed	Atti lange for the chara place shout 94 hours
	Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. t(-1062] Hongkong, 2nd January, 1871.	Chefoo	PUBLIC AUCTION.	MR. F. E. HEYDEN has this day been admitted a partner in my firm. F. PEIL.	spectus was submitted, and a resolution passed approving of the basis upon which the Provisional Committee proposed to reorganise the	Superintendent.
Por Kwangtung, etr., from Foodhow, &c.,—	HONGKUNG AND SHANGHAI BANKING	Hakodadi Howell & Co. Hankow Evans & Rainbow.	Storekeeper, to sell by Public Auction, on	2m 746 Hongkong, 27th April, 1871.	The Net profits of the Company will be divided amongst the shareholders in the fol-	P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 9th June, 1871:
Mr. and Mrs. Wardlaw, Messrs. Knobleugh. Stells, 1 European deck and 4 Ohinese.	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.	Hiogo SMITH, BARER & Co. Kiuking R. FRANCIS & Co. Manila FINDLAY RICHARDSON	the 14th June, 1871, at 11 o'clock P.M., At H.M. Naval Yard,—	MR. THOMAS H. DE SILVER is admitted a partner in our firm from the 1st of	lowing proportions, viz. ONE THIRD (83%),) to shareholders rateably in proportion to the number of shares.	HEUTER'S TELEGRAM COMPANY, LIMITED.
Per Sunda, str., from Bombay, &c.,— Mr. and Mrs. Remedios and family, and Li Chinese:	NOTICE is hereby given; that the Fourth Call of Twenty-five dollars per Share, on	Nagasaki Holme, Ringer & Co.	Sundry Naval and Victualling STORES, comprising Old IRON, STEEL, Iron CASKS,	October, 1869. L. FRICKEL & Co. tf 2002 Hongkong, 21st October, 1869.	Two THIEDS (664%) to shareholders rate- ably in proportion to the Net Premia	NOTIOE.
Per Emeu, str., from Shanghai,— Capt. Ryder, B.N., Mr and Mrs. Thorel, Mrs.	the Shares in the Capital of the Corporation.	Penang BANDILANDS, BUTTERY	BUNTING, JACKETS, Blue CLOTH, DUCK, CANVASS, FLANNEL, SERGE,	THE MOTION OF MOTION OF THE MARKET WARREN	Notice is hereby given that applications for shares in the undermentioned form will be	Company at Point de Galle from this date.
Snowden, Baron Rehlues, Lieut. Rogers, E.N. Mestra., Mercer, R.N., Dean, R.N., Bennett R.S., C. Buter, J. Meters, H. Rapsey, W.	payable on the let day of JULY next, at the Head Office and Branches of the Bank. Interest at the rate of Twelve per centum per	Saigon A. G. Hogg & Co. San Francisco, Wm. N. Olmsted, Eeq.	STOCKINGS, SHOES, BOUTS, BLANKETS, SHIRTS REDS &c.	admitted partners in our firm. LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.	received at the offices of the Company in Blang- hai, or through the Agenta at the several ports.	HENRY M. COLLINS,
Mills, H. Jensen, W. Cruickshanks, W. Luck J. Calcolough, M. Gilson, 28 seamon and 1	annum will be charged on the amount of all calls uppaid and the other provisions of the	Shanghai Mesers. OLYPHANT & Co Singapore THE BORNEO CO. LIMITED. Swatow Mesers. DIRCRS & Co.	BISCUIT, PORK, BEEF, FLOUR, OAT- MEAL, Preserved POTATOES, COFFEE, CANDLES, &c.	tf 1258 Hongkong, 30th June, 1870.	until 30th September, and from Loudon until 31st October, 1871. Applications for shares from persons not	tf 983 Bombay, 15th May, 1871.
The following passengers proceed by the P	30th article of the Deed of Settlement of the Corporation will also be enforced in respect of Shares upon which the Calls remain nupsid:	【 論論とうなり●しくもん 子 の 衛士生工会 常動と監禁能を施し出しまる。それぞれは しょばけ	TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG,	THEODOR PROEST, in our firm, ceases	Prince a Marie Prince and Company of the Prince of the Company of	FOR SHANGHAL.
& O. Co.'s steamship Australia, to-day, a hope :- For SingaporeMr. Graham, I Chinese and	Bylorder of the Court of Directors.	THE Company having been Registered under the "Companies Ordinance, 1865," and	Government Austioneer.	WM PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong and China. 7th of February, 1871. [6m 257]	matters connected with the Company.	will have immediate despatch.
E children. For Madras.—1 Private H.M. 13th Regi	et 041 Hangkong let June 1871	its shares allotted, will be prepared to grant Policies on Marine Risks to all parts of the World, at current rates, on and after let May	TO LET.	R.E. W. Von BERGEN retired from	FORM OF APPLICATION FOR SHARES.	For Freight or Passage, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. 1d 985 Hougkong, 9th June, 1871:
ment. For Southampton.—Major Suttie, Messrs S. G. Bird, J. S. Lapraik, G. Denne, R.N., H	[1] Or Hongwong, Timiting	next. In addition to the usual brokerage, Thirty-	ing Honor commission by the GREAT NORTHERN	bility therein ceased, on the 31st December,	NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANT. (Term 1872-74.)	INDO-OHINESE SUGAR COMPANY.
P. Ipsen, A. Ufflemann, Conway, J. C. Wardlaw Mrs. O. Snowden, Lieut. H. H. Ryder, R.N.	Hongkong, and Agencies at the various	I mally as a Bonne among Contributing Share-	Presession can be had immediately.	Hongkong, 14th April, 1871.	will allot to a second and agree to accept such	NOTION TO SHAREHOLDERS.
For Brindisi.—Capt. Ragouley, Baron Vo Rebfues, Madama Comilott, Count Ch. d	n Treaty Ports in China and Japan, is prepared to issue Policies of Insurance, at the current	holders, proportionately to the amount of pre-	E. A. HANSEN. Superintendent.	YON BERGEN from this day, under my own	Shares or any less number you may allot to	HAREHOLDERS are hereby notified that in accordance with the 36th Clause of the
Loustal.	AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Secretaries	OLYPHANT & Co., General Agents. tf 707 Hongkong, 25th April, 1871.	7d 958, Hongkong 3rd June, 1871.	mame, as DERTJEN & Co. Mr. ADOLF STRACK is authorized to sign the firm, per propuration.	Tis. 800 per Share, and all subsequent Calls, and to subscribe the Deed of Settlement when-	Articles of Association of the Company, the Third Call of Twelve Dollars and Fifty cents per share is payable on the 30th June current.
Reputifs. The British steamship Emen, from Shangha	ti 557 Hongkong, 1st April, 1871. INSURANCE	NOTICE.	and Water laid in. Apply to	8m 642 Hongkong, 15th April, 1871.	Gentlemen, Your obcdient Servant,	ot the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking.
on June 3rd, reports Southerly winds and fin weather; passed steamship Fusiyama off Bro	OCEAN STRANSHIP COMPANY	HE undermentioned Local Insurance Offices are prepared to issue Policies, govering	1m 951 Hongkong, 2nd June, 1871.	Into partnership as Merchants and Com- mission Agents, will conduct their business	Forms of application for shares can be ob-	Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent. per snnum will be charged on all calls paid after that day.
The British steamship Sunda reports le	F required by shippers at time of making	Par Date Contract to the same and the same a	TO LET. THE PREMISES, recently occupied by C. LANGDON DAVIS, Esq., Peddar's Wharf,	under the name and style of NORTON,	teined at the Head Office, or by application to the Agents of the Company. tf 974 Shanghai, 29th May, 1871;	The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the Fifteenth day of June to the
Bombay on May 18th, at noon. Arrived Singapore of the 31st at 8 a.m.; left Singapore of	from the Undersigned, on first-class English Companies to the amount agreed upon at fol-	From Canton) Ten, 21°/ 13°/.	consisting of five rooms and two verandahs. The OFFICE, recently occupied by ROBBET	POPPT TVATA	THE HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.	First day of July, 1871, both days inclusive. By Order, A. NOEL BLAKEMAN,
June 1st at 6 a m.; at 3 a.m. on the 26th, passed the ateamship Orissa steering Westward; of afternoon of the same day, passed the Britis	lowing rates, by any steamers of the above Com-	Hongkong Other Mer. 21°/ 15°/.	McMurdo, Esq., Peddar's Wharf. The OFFICES, recently occupied by C. D. Williams, Esq., with verandah on the Prays.	Company and NOTICE. No high state of the sta	NAME OF THE PARTY	t. 986 Hongkong. 8th June, 1871.
ship Clyde, from Calcutta to Singapore. From Singapore to Hongkong had hight Souther!	Oanton do. per cent., f. of a. 35/s	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,	Peddar's Whatf. Apply to GEURUE F. HEARD.	J WARD PRITIT in our Firm ceased on the Slat December last.	NOTICE is hereby given, that in com-	A RRANGEMENTS having been completed
and S.W. winds as far Macclesfield Bank from thence light N.E. winds; at 1 p.m. on the lat, passed the stemmship Travancors for Sit	Subject to a discount of 15 per cent.	N. J. EDE. Secretary, Union Insurance Society of Canton.	Excutor, Estate of J. B Endicott, decaused.	Partner therein on the 1st January. DEACON & Co.	TO COMPANY AND DESCRIPTIONS AND ASSESSMENT OF THE PARTY O	with the different Mediterranean Steam-
gapore: on the 5th, in lat. 12 10 N., long 111.10 E., passed British ship Lahloo, from Cardiff to Hongkong; 97 days out.	Mongkong, 22nd May, 1871.	J. KENNARD DAVIS,	TO LET.	NOTICE. INTHE interest and responsibility of Mr.	held at the registered office of the Company, situate at Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY,	Ports.
	HONGKONG STEAM BAKERY, Office—Opposite the Oriental Bank.	Agent, No. th China Insurance Company. RUSSELL & Co.,	THE Old Custom House, opposite Messrs. Russell & Co.'s hong, very suitable for business purpose. Apply to	3let January last	the 12th day of June next, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of confirming such special Resolution as may be	ples, Trieste, Venice, Brindisi, Aucona, Smyrna, Constantinople and Olessa.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.	MESSRS. D. NOWROJEE & Co., establish ed in the year 1858, beg to inform their	Agents, Yangteza Insurance Association of Shanghat.	ROZARIO, MAROAL & Co.,	1m 839 Amoy, 27th April, 1871.	passed at the Meeting called for that purpose on the 29th day of May, 1871.	Agente.
Sundry Articles.	Customers and the public generally, that the bave just set up a Steam Bakery in their premises, which has enabled them to reduce their	AUGUSTINE HEARD & CO.	or P. A. DA COSTA, Esq., Bt Messre. A. Heard & Co., Hongkong	NUTICE HAVE this day established myself at this Port as WATCHMAKER & GENERAL	By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,	tf 960 Hongkong, 5th June, 1871. SALE OF HER MAJESTY'S GUNBOAT
THE HENDITION CASE. OPPLES OF CHIEF-JUSTICE SMALE	rates, without interfering with the well knows	Company, Limited.	Im 893 Foodbow, 22nd May, 1871. TO LET.	STORE KEEPER. ERNEST LEMATTRE.	VIOTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY	"GRASSHOPPER." TT M. GUNBOAT GRASSHOPPER, at
TWO JUDGMENTS	They are now enabled to offer their Bread and Biscuits of the best quality at following reduced rates:—		A TWO STALL STABLE and COACH HOUSE, in Seymour Road. Apply to G. FALCONER & Co.	I 1m 837 Amoy, 1st April, 1871. NOTICE. NOR. WILLIAM ABBOTT TURNBULL	OF HUNGKONG, LIMITED. NOTICE.	Auction, unless disposed of in the meantime
MATTER OF KWOK-A-SING, Can be obtained at the Office of this Pape Price	er. Square, Twist, Coltage, and French loaves 30.07 per 15.	OLYPHANT & Co.,	tf 828 Hongkong, 11th May, 1871.	date.	FUTHE Transfer Books of this Company will	Further particulars may be obtained by application to the Commander in Chief's Secre-
Hongkong, 26th May, 1871. M. VISE & CO.	Soda and Cracker Biscuits, 6 lbs. tins	General Agents, Chinese Insurance Company, Limited. tf 872 Hongkong, 18th May, 1871.	in Chancery Lane, (at present in the occupation of W. H. Brereton, Esq.), contain	tf 829 Shanghai, 1st May, 1871.	be closed from the 16th to the 30th inst, both days inclusive. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,	tary, H.M. Ship Ocean, Nagasaki.
92, QUEEN'S ROAD, AVE received a large Assortment of J. PANESE CURIOS and JAPANES		PORT OF AMOY.	ing 10 Rooms, Out Offices, with a 4 Stall Stable and Coach House. Possession can be had or	BRITISH INDIAN EXTENSION TELE- GRAPH COMPANY, LIMITED,	The second secon	
WARE. EUROPEAN GOODS.	NOTICE TO SHIPMASTERS. APTAINS are invited to inspect the new	SHIPOWNERS, AGENTS, and COM- MANDERS are informed that the Doca	1001 TE 1001	FALMOUTH, GIBRALTAR AND MALTA ANGLO-MEDITERRANEAN;	tf 943 Hongkong, 2nd June, 1871. THE UHINA FIRE INSURANCE CO.,	6d 962 2nd June, 1871. "Japan Mail" and "Japan Weekly Mail."
1m 963 Hongkong, 5th June, 1871. BREAKFAST CLARET, FOR FAMILY O	R Cabin and Ship BISCUITS, at the lowest rates	Port afford every facility, at moderate charges	HOUSES TO LET. TN various Parts of Hongkong. A list of	BRITISH INDIAN SUBMARINE; MARSEILLES, ALGIERS AND MALTA	LIMITED.	I ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. having been appointed agents for the two above-
MESS USE. 125 BOTTLES OF VERY GOOD BREAKFAST CLARET.		REPAIRING AND SPARRING VESSELS CLEANING AND PAINTING IRON	be seen at No. 47. Wyndham Street. THOS. W. BARRINGTON.	BRITISH AUSTRALIAN; CHINA SUBMARINE TELEGRAPH		named newspapers, are prepared to receive Advertisements and Subscriptions for the same.
(Red Seal). Selected by the undersigned, may be had i	I W THE Terrorite needing common absences to	SHIPS AND STEAMERS.	tf 642 Hongkong, 11th March, 1867 TO LET.	COMPANIES, LIMITED. A LL messages for Europe should be ad-	be closed from the 17th to 30th instant,	Mail, \$24 per annum.
G. DUBOST & Co. 3m 935 Hongkong, Slat May, 1871.	in on, or before the lat day of October, 1871, the undersigned.	THEIR LARGE GRANITE DOCK. Has 286 feet length on the blocks, and a sverage spring tides can receive Vessels of 16 to	With possession early in April. THAT very desirable RESIDENCE, Glan	A dressed win Suez.	Secretary. tf 950 Hongkong, 2nd June, 1871.	tf 122 Hongkong, 19th January, 1'71. KEELUNG COAL DEPOT.
FOR SALE. DEAL HAVANA CIGARS.	J. GARDINER AUSTIN, Colombal Secretary,	17 feet draught. It has a CAISSON GATE, AND POWERFUL CENTRIFUGAL	the Hon. J. PAUNCEFOTE. For particulars, apply to	J. W. FULLER, Manager	THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	AMOY.
Regalia BRITANICA. ESPECIALES.	tf 816 Hongkong, 11th May, 1871.	And an Engineers' work-shop fitted with Lather and Tools, driven by steam. Iron and Bias	ROB. S. WALKER & Co. tf 434 Hongkong, 10th March, 1871.	Offices, 6, Princes Street. [tf 91]	HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG. A GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of	TEAMERS can be supplied from the above depot with good Steam COALS, at \$8.50
REGALIA DE LA REYNA	GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH CHINA AND JAPAN EXTENSION COMPANY	Foundries, Boiler-makers shop, a large Smithy and Carpenters and Boat-builders sheds. Al	TO LET. THE Commodious GODOWNS, Busines PREMISES and RESIDENCE, former	ESTATE OF DR. H. C. STEWART,	China and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon and Penang.	Agents.
Apply to REMEDIOS & Co. tf 663 Hongkong, 19th April, 1871.	TROM this date the above Company wi		ly occupied by Messis. MELCHERS & Consituated at the junction of Graham and Wel	Deceased.	Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance pranted at the rates of Premium current at the above-mentioned Ports.	
FOR SALE. A A BALES PRINTING PAPER.	transmit messages written in the Chinese language. Rates between Hongkong and Shanghai:—	receive, at spring tides, Vessels drawing 12 feet	lington Streets. Gas and Water laid on. Possession may but taken in March next. Apply to	debted to, the above Estate, are requested to communicate with the undersigned.	JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary Hongkong, 5th April, 1871. [tf 385	
HESSE & Co. Im 850 Hongkong, 16th May, 1871.	Of Chamatana	cept in stock.	tf 182 Hongkong, 30th January, 1871.	WM. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D., Seamen's Hospital, Hongkong, One of the Executors	THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE	BRITISH SHIP WM. RITSON, FROM LONDON. CONSIGNEES wanted for
COAL AT SAIGON. THE undersigned beg to inform the Pub	For particulars, apply to the Telegraphic Offices in Hongkong and Shanghai.	b Quarters for Officers, and a DRY GODOWI or STORES, of Vessels under repair. tf 2317 Amov. December, 1868.	formerly in the occupation of Messre	s. TAOR SALE, by private contract, the Three	NOTICE.	Macao in diamond 31 Cases "supposed
with good AUSTRALIAN COAL, at \$10 pton, delivered free alongside the Steamer.	per General Agent, 1m 883 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1871.	FOOCHOW DOOK.	HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., situated on Marin Lot 11, and fronting the Prays. Possession	n lot No. 73, opposite the premises formerly oc	PRINTED The water Books of the Commany Will	B B&Oo 1/01 to contain Acids " 7194 in diamond Cases, Casks and Iron Foodbow Tanks.
and Bros	NOTICE,	RIVER MIN.	For particulars of rent, &c. Apply to TURNER & Co.	For particulars & Co. TURNER & Co.	大手機とは動作性とは近日とは19世間と関と関となった。 かいがいけい こんだけい こうてんごだいい	Apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
tf 742 Saigon, 25th April, 1871. NOTICE TO MARINERS.	THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	THE above granite floored DOOK, of the following Dimensions, viz.: Length, 30	0 version and the TO LET.	tf 534 Hongkong, 29th March, 1871.	Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited	tf 984 Hongkong, 9th June, 1871. BRITISH BARQUE LAKE CONSTANCE, STRATTON, MASTER, FROM
RIVER MIN.	MR. J. B. COUGHTRIE having been a pointed Secretary of the above-name		e sion from 1st March, 1871. Apply to	Apply to T. G. Linstean, Fisq.	THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	GLASGOW. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named
red, has been placed in position to me the Southern extremity of Temple Rock. T	By order of the Board.	dry to the Blocks and is pumped out by Steam The above premises comprise a large Machine	tf 324 Hongkong, 17th February, 1871.	tf 471 Hongkong, 18th March, 1871.	REDUCTION IN RATES ON	their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the undersigned, and to take immediate delivery
rock is covered 9 feet at Low Water Sprin The buoy is in 44 fathoms at Low Water, a	igs. and ti 553 Hongkong, 1st April, 1871.	GAP LATHE,	With possession on or after the let July next. INHE PREMISES, at present occupied by	WEST POINT FOUNDBY, begs to intimate to the Public of Hongkong, and specially the	N and after the 15th instant, the minimum	of their Goods. Cargo impeding the vessel's discharge will be
should be left on the Etarboard hand by vesse entering. SPITEFUL ISLAND PASS.—A number	Rear of Murray Barracks, Hongkong.	Dellling and Screwing Machines, A Large Smithy, &c., &c., &c. Large Godowns are on the premises for	Queen's Road Central	A Master and Engineers of Steamers, that he	Chinese Promises in this Colony will be reduced	C. M. OHOR 18HOOK PRO PASSON IN CORRESPOND 11ML
on the Starboard side of this passage, entering and one of the same form, with red and wh	HORSES, PONIES, HARNESS and CA	STOWAGE OF CARGO, &c., &c. A larg Stock of Woods, Metal, &c., &c., always on hand	For particulars, apply to WM. PUSTAU & Co.	PERSMITH and BRASS FOUNDER on the pew premises called the PHCNIX IRON	JARDINE, MATHESUN & Co.,	7d 971 Hongkong, 7th June, 1871.
vertical stripes, marks the outer edge of rocks on the Port side of the passage.	The HORSES and CARRIAGES for Hire	The Dock Steam Tag Woosung is available a all times to tow vessels to or from Sea, at our rent rates, on application to	The state of the s	WORKS, Spring Gardens, next to Messre Gibb, Livingston & Co.'s Coal Godown; and trusts that by strict attention paid to business	f 1997 Hongkong, 14th November 21010.	LONDON
first of these rocks is covered 7 feet, and second 9 feet at Low Water. The buoy on Starboard side of the passage is in 41 fatho	the PONIES do. do. do.	J. S. LAMONT, Superintendent.	ROB. S. WALKER & Co.	of his line, to merit a share of public patronage. D. ILLINGWORTH.	COMPANY.	Bills of Lading for countersignature to the
and the one on the Port side 8 fathonis at I. Water.	principles, under his own superintendence. T. E. HAWKINS.	ling ressels can be obtained from Messra Norton, LYALL & Co. Hongkong.	TO LET.	Phocenix Iron Works. Hongkong, 6th May, 1871. [2m 80]	Maral to the shows flowners for the Year end	undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Caron impeding the discharge will be at
On account of the violent eddy curre about these rocks vessels should if possible	Tate Farrier Major, of Bengal Horse Artiller	Messrs. LANE, CEAWFORD & Co., Shangba		tal I MD ACTI the Regimes Promises letely if	buted to the above Company for the year end- ning 3let December, 1870. Warrants may be had on application at the Office of the Under-	once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and
ways pass midway between the buoys. A. M. BISBEE, Divisional Inspector and Harbor Man	An MITTAR A CO	TAKASIMA COLLIERY,	Possession can be had early in February.	Roud Central. The Building can be let either as it stands	Pottinger Street.	tf 953 Hongkong, 3rd June, 1871.
Harbor Master's Office, Pagoda Anchorage, 24th May, 1871. [1m	PLUMBERS. 929 COPPERSMITHS & BRASSFOUNDERS	THE Undersigned are prepared to supplicate Coals from the Takasima Colliery (8 for	Apply to TURNER & Co. tf 183 Hongkong, 30th January, 1871.	or rearranged in sets of Offices, with or with out dwelling rooms, as may be required. Apply to Messra. RAWLING, MEDLEN & Co.	tf 899 Hongkong, 25th May, 1871.	NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
GEORGE GLASSE. OFIVE YEARS MANAGER TO	No. 1. Queen's Road East and Nullah Lone. Opposite H.M. Naval Dock Yard.	seam), in quantities as required, to be delivered on board ship in this Harbor. Note:—The Specific Gravity of Takasim	TO LET. (With possession on 1st January, 1871).	the Alteration of the premises may be seen. IARDING MATHESON & Cd.	NOTICE.	landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take
KINSFORD & Co., PICCADILI LONDON, AND 28, PLACE VENDOME, PARIS),	E.R. HANDLEY, TOUSE AND SHIP PLUMBE	Co-For and is admitted to be fully sored to the	of THAT wery desirable BUNGALOW, situal at Pokicolum, and known as "BEI	tr 336 Hongkong, 21st February, 1871.	ESTATE OF T. G. DONALDSON, Diceased	OF
PINGLISH AND FOREIGN CHEMI VIOTORIA DI PENSARY. HONGRONG AND OKOHAMA.	COPPER SMITH, BRASS FOUNDER AND GAS FITTER	best English North Country Coal for steamin and all other purposes. GLOVER & Co.	MENKE, Esq. Bowling Alley, Coach House	wanchai, from 12 to 80,000 picula capt	to communicate with	EF (in diamond), 32 Bales Colton from Ma- dras to Order. C. BERTRAND,
SHIPP' MEDITI'Æ-CHESTS SUPPLIED AND REFITTED	Next to the P. & O. Coal Stores,	Agent in Hongkong, NORTON, LTALL & Co.	Apply to GILMAN & Go. tf 2192 Hongkong, 17th December, 1870.	8. E. BURROWS & SONS.	BIOH. F. HAWKE, One of the Executors tf 2245 Hongkong, 24th December, 1870.	ાં ક્રિકેટ કર્યો છે. માટે કર્યો છે
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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, 9rn JUNE, 1871.

Tie delivery of the Dally Press from this office commenced on Thursday morning at 10.05, and the last messon rere left the office at 10 26.

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Honokono, June 9fm. 1871

Ir will be recollected that in the Convention for the revision of the Treaty to which Sir ports to subsidiary ports on the Coast, but tended and levelled, and above all the planting to the ratification of the Convention, because portion of the Coast trade from the Colony. as the likelihood would be that the new ports opened would be better suited for the Coast trade than the ports at present thrown open by Treaty. The reply of Sir RUTHERroan Alcock to the objection made, was: "You cannot enjoy the advantages of a Colong and those of a Treaty port at the same collection of the same dues and duties in and to do all'that lies in their power to diminish the influence of a port which is a source to the Divine Service on Sunday, when most Ed sidiary ports was designed on the part of the Chinese as a blow at this Colony, and provisions which, if carried out, must have session of the country which he represented. For his supmeness in this respect no excuse whether, had he taken the trouble to give , the matter proper consideration, a scheme could not have been devised by which Hongkong could be admitted to the same privileges as the Treaty ports, and yet no injury be done to its trading interests. This practical view seems never to have been even so much as thought of by the Minister, who thus lauded himself in the absurdity of concluding his negotiations without any reference to the necessities of the only British possession in contiguity with China. In this he was, perhaps influenced in some measure by the peculiar to make you straid. jealousy which has always subsisted between | the Colonial and the Foreign Offices; but whatever his motive, there can be so doubt that by omitting to make the arrangements respecting the trade of Hongkong an integral ... The p. & O. steputolin Commission beings date part of the Convention, he not only made a from Singapore to the 31st ulto. The great omission, but probably lost an ad. Straits Times contains the following, which mirable opportunity for the settlement of a has not yet been published much vexed question. Being taken thus by surprise, the Community of Hongkoug were naturally suspicious of the whole arrangement, and would listen to no ideas of compromise. Still it may be asked whether it might not be advantageous, now that the postponement of the ratifications of Sir Bu-THERFORD ALCOCK'S Convention affords the opportunity, carefully to reconsider the whole question, and ascertain whether taking a all be best for Hongkong to meet the Chinese Authorities half way in the matter. The idea is prevalent that the prosperity of Hongkong depends upon her being free from the liability to pay any duties to the Chinese Government. Whatever truth might be found in the view abstractly considered, there is no question that Hongkong is not free from having to pay duties at the present day. is notorious that a cordon of cruisers surrounds the island, and that exactions are levied right and left in an irregular way. It was only the other day that a Salt Taxing office was discovered actually in the Colony and yet people stand out against the imposi. tion of taxesina recognised form as if it would be a great retrogression from the state of affairs at present existing. The probability is that, were arrangements made for Hong kong to contribute to the Chinese Government the same duties that are paid at the Treaty ports, the arrangement would be found so far from detrimental to the local interests of the Colcay, to be one which would greatly increase its prosperity. all events, it is worth the earnest consideration of all well-wishers of this place whether some means could not be devised to come to a fair arrangement with the Chinese Authorities, by means of which in consideration of paying the like duties as are paid through which they have passed; may interest at the Treaty Ports, Hongkong would be freed from the anomalous state of things now existing, and a system of regular duties | Region Compensation for loss | 4.43551 substituted for the irregular and verations levies which, desnite every effort of the local government, notoriously continue to be made. For Family of Lintuys ; 500,00

The Straits Times states that the China Telegraph Company have decided on laying a cable to Saigon. The cable for this work is on board the steamer Agree, and the laying wil be proceeded with as early as practicable.

Notwithstanding that yesterday was mail day, the Eureka Troups had a very fair at tendance at their performance, which was quite. The losses sustained by converts were minutely wet silk to Canton, unfit for packing." Hosmer and Mr. Small in the duets were wonderfully good, and the bunjo was again superb. Mr. Singer's instrumental and vocal performances were as usual very well received as were also the comic songs, which were sung with great spirit and thoroughly in character.

THE TREES IN THE COLONY. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." Sig.—Hongkong, our, "Island of Fragrant Streams," is rising in the scale of public estimation. Some lew years ago no one could say a word in its favour. The papers at home wrote against it in a most ignorant, and one might emptied their vials of wrath upon the luckless apot, and nothing was too bad that might not with mafety be said against this "God forsaken rock." Regiments who were ordered bither believed to a man that they were coming. bere to die, and officers, were enger to sell out at any price, or etchange to any place, never mind how unbealthy or savage, provided they could escape being sent to Hongkong! But

those who were not so fortunate, and were doomed to pass their time here, invariably on their arrival acknowledged themselves agreeably surprised, and some condescended to con- Hongkong Bank Shares, New-30 per cent fees it was not so bad a place after all. Whatever Hongkong might have been fourteen or twenty years ago, it has certainly never deserved within the last eight years the aspersone cast upon it. It has improved every way, and an during the late bad times residente bave not had the money to spend in travelling to and fro, but have felt obliged to remain station-

ary, they have wisely tried to soften their lot by taking some little interest in their Island. RUTHERFORD ALCOCK agreed, it was stipu- Home. Gardens have bloomed and vegetables lated that there should be arrangements, by flourished where before was waste, uncultivated which vessels could clear from the Treaty land, our Government gardens have been laid out, our Parade Ground improved, roads exthe same privilege was not allowed to vessels of trees has added a new beauty to our bill sides. clearing from Hongkong. This subsequently and given a fresh charm to bur walks. Many and many an old resident, who but returned became one of the chief grounds of objection after an absence of a few years; has been amazed on the part of the Community of Hongkong at the improvement of Hongkong in this respeat, and from one who had been absent only two months during the wet season, when verit was justly apprehended that it could not dure grows as if by magic, I have beard exclamafail to result in the withdrawal of the larger tions of delight at the newly unfolded beauty of our shrubs and trees. Our clumps of feathery bamboos, our spreading banyans, our glossy leaved India rubber plants, are objects of great interest to us foreign residents, and need, not dwell upon their importance in sunitary point of view, at our Colonial Surgeon, in his yearly report, is constantly impressing

upon us the necessity of foliage for absorbing the gases most deleterious to man. Then is it not a pity that there petted objects reminders of our English and Continental time-" an answer not very palatable, but Homes-of wooded nooks, sylvan lanes, and still not without a considerable amount of cool, sequestored della, where in our childhood, we loved to wander and go a gypsylng, should truth in it. The fact of Hongkong being be daily destroyed by an insidious foe (I am free from the duties which are collected at sorry to say in female form? Is it right that all the Treaty ports makes the Chinese Hakka women should be allowed constantly to authorities unwilling to grant any facilities hand, never interfered with by the police for of trade to it. Originally it was understood the evident purpose of outting bere and slashthat arrangements would be made for the ing there, and destroying these children of nature, in the planting of which Government and private individuals have spent so much Hongkong, as were formerly collected at time and money? To me it is inconcrivable: Canton, but the provision was afterwards that this mistaken lentency has been continued so,many years. On one hand we plant-we wand withdrawn. At the same time, the natives to Australia for her gun-trees; to Norfolk may justly feel that through the peculiar Island for her fire and pines; to the mainland position occupied by the Island, they are de or Hainan for cocoa nut palms, and at each frauded of a large amount of revenue, and superintended by the Government Gardener, to this feeling forms a very strong inducement | plant on any vacant spot of ground; stamp are to throw obstacles in the way of the Trade, carefully wrapt in strew and well-watered during the dry senson-and at the same time at an early morning hour; or during the hours of them of so much vexation and loss. No ropeans are supposed to bo at church, these men with their hooks in hand are seen breep doubt the proposal to exclude Hongkong inc in and out of the brushwood that clothes from the proposed new facilities at the sub- here und there only too frequently barren granite bills, and are cutting and backing right and left. They may be known by their flat bonnets and long flapping curtains. They are Sir RUTHERFORD ALCOCK was much to too comming ever to be caught carrying green blame for accepting a Convention containing woodly but they know fully well that what they thin destroy will be brown in a few days. beneath our ecorohing aun, co they carry with had so detrimental an influence upon a pos- implinity, before the very noise of correpolice dance bundles of dry wood that a week ago was green and flourishing. I believe these Hakka women are doing a most material injury to our can be pleaded; but it may still be a question Colony, and I do that the Government; that has wisely and mercifully; but an and to the destruction of small birds, so that we are occasionally enlivened by a wild woodland note; which before was never heard by us, may not deem it boneath its notice to puss a stringent law forbidding the presence of Hakkus and Hooks upon our hill-sides. I do not wish to be hard upon these poor creatures, who doubtless despoil out woods for a livelihood, but surely it cannot be right to allow them to injure irremediably that which gladdens our eyes, promotes our health, and costs the Colony such a considerable year-

> Please, Mr. Editor, respect this, as the Chinese say, and agitate, -agitate, -agitate -id this matter, and may you one day, even in Hongkong, be rewarded by sitting under the shadow of your own Vide and Eigstree! (none daring

GEORGE, RANGER. Hongkong, 7th June, 1871; LATE TELEGRAM.

London, 26th May. Oaks- Hannah first, Noblesse second, Comto be maintained till 1878. Hostilities still now read a first time expunges that portion of

paragraph concerning the winner of the

Derby caused considerable curiosity here, to Government by direction of the home authori make out the horse bearing the name," Favo- ties; for Ordinance No. 7 of 1870, which they nions," no such name having figured in the have disallowed; worked extremely well, and large view of the subject it might not after betting. It will no doubt be interesting to would have proved an inestimable, been to the many of our readers to leave that this was the Colony by shutting off the stream of ruffians name given to, "Baron Buthachild's 'Zephyr

> SHANGHAI. The P. & O. steamer Emen brings, dates, to from the N. C. Daily News:ed to public business for the first time on the

In view of the dilapidated condition of the old gaol, H. M.'s Consul decided to open the establishment on the Soochow Creek on the lat of June. Fifteen prisoners, at present inmates of the gaol for terms ranging from ten years downwards, were therefore removed on Wednesday to better premines and securer

the annual meeting of members of Shangbai Clob was held on the 29th May. The accounts show a profit on the year's working f \$5,000. It was agreed to lease the Club from the Becreation Bund Trustees at an annual rental of \$11,000, and to andeavour to raise money to buy the furniture.

TIENTSIN. (N. C. Daily News.) The correspondence which has lately passed and H. B. M. Consal, regarding the settle-3.400 asked by Mr. Wade and Tle. 8.925 land, or the official condition weight in France. originally claimed by the Missionaries. The fol- | Claims for compensation must not be made lowing statement of the modifications which the lafter six months from date of shipment by claims have undergone at the various bands | stenmers, and nine months by sailing vessels.

As amended As now paid. of services of Arents. 1 1,235.51
Losses of converts and 2,065.50 1,521.71 608,50 300.00 800,00 Furniture of chapels 748.79 8,400.00 2,500,00

The first item is for rent of buildings, hired of the two Kwangs, to item a proclamation refor various purposes connected with the missions, which were gutted, but for which rent had but good conditioned silk to market," was, at to be paid under the lease. The sums thus paid this meeting, made to read as follows, viz. :-were reclaimed up to the time the mandarine "That the foreign Consula be requested to handed back the houses, repaired. Mr. Wade ask the Provincial Governor to issue a proclaassessed by the missionaries with the greatest care; and one man alone was found to have ance, and so does the subject of robberies of lost property to the value of The. 1,000. Mr. wilk packages, when in francisu, both Uninege, and were handed over ut the end of March, but are so badly done that considerable greatest moment, same have had since to be expended in finish-

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

Juna Sth. Eyrning. At the opening of the drug market, Patns. almost my, fiendish manner; correspondenta was placed at \$5'0, on credit and time, Benares at \$567%, closing, however, weak, with more sellers than buyers, and with a downward tendency. The steamer Sunda brings Telegrams from Calcutta via Singapore to the 80th May quoting Patna at about Rupaes 1,310 per chest. In Malwa little has been done at \$635:

Honekone Bank Shares, Old -85 per cent. premium. Inion Insurance Society of Canton, new share: China Tradera Insurance Company's Shares-

Ohina and Japan Marine Insurance—Tla. per share premium. binese Insurance Company.—\$75 per share Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Sharts-\$270 per share premium. Jhina Fire Insurance Company's Shares—\$4

\$2,300 per shere premium.

per chare premium. itoria Fire Indutance Company e Shared—1 per share premium, Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company Shares -80 per cont. discount

Co.'s Stares 36 per cent. prem. Shanghai Steam Navigation Company—Tla per share premium. Ihina Sea, Saigon, and Etraita Steamship Company -5 per cent. discount. bing and Straits Steam Navigation Company - 20 per cent. discount. Hongkong: Gas Company's . Shares - 260 pe

Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-65 Hongkong Distillery Company-10 per cent premium nominal. Indo-Chinesel, Sugar Company—\$12, per shari discount.

Bank Bills, at 3 months sight, 4/41. Bank Bills, at 6 months sigut, 4/44 to 4/ Credits, at 6 months' sight 4/51 Doodmentary Bills, at 6 months!

Bank Bills on demand, 43 ON NEW YORK ---Private, 5 months' sight Bombay .- Bank, 3 days' sight 2294 On Canoutra, Bank, 3 days' sight 2291 to 230 DN SRANGHAL -Bank, 3 dags' sight........784

Private, 30 days' sight

As reported by Chinese. Saigon Rice, 5,000 picule, at \$3,06, by Hung-Saigon Rice, 6,000 picule, at \$2.05, by Hunging to Horgkong merchant. Siam Rice, 1,000 picule, at \$2.02, by Hungung to Hongkong merchant. Drille, 40 yards, 200 pieces, at \$3.40, Hung-fung to travelling merchant. Black Pepper, 100 bags, at \$10.00, by Hung-

Sales on June 8th, 1871.

ung to travelling merchant; White Sugar, 300 picula, at \$6.00, by Worldt o Shanghai merobant. White Sugar, 250 picule, at \$5.50, by Wo-fat Shanghai merchanti White Sugar, 110 picule, at \$5,20, by We fat Japan merchant. Bomban Cotton, 60 bales, at \$17.00, by Parsee

nerchant to Chuechow merchant. Calculta Cotton, 80 bales, at \$12.65, by Parsee merchant to Man hing.

NEWS FOR THE ENGLISH MAIL

HONGKONG. The Legislative Council has meet twice duing the fortnight. On Monday, the 29th ult. everal votes for increased salaries, do., were and the Colonial Secretary then ought in a bill declaratory of the valigity the Extradition Ordinance (No. 2 of 1850 respect of treaties with Ohina made subse nently to the passing of the Or inappe. reason for this declaratory Ordinance was that the Class Justice had recently decided Kwok Asing's case) that the Extradition Or dinance was not in force with respect to the renty of Tientsin. The standing orders were set uside and the bill passed through all its stages at one sitting, notwithstanding the protest and withdrawal of the Chief Justice, who with other members complained that no notice had been given of this bill. The Council met again on the 5th instant, when the Attorney General brought in a bill relating to the banishment of persons dangerous to the peace and good order of the Colony. The power to deport such persons was given by Section 1570 further provided penalties and re-deportation for those who should return. The Colonto reneal the nower of deportation conferred in 9 of 1857, and last year's Ordinance had been disallowed because it continued that power, which has recently been considered ultra vires of a In Alsace and Lorraine the Dietatorship is Colonial Legislature to enact. The Ordinance 9 of 1857 which empowers the Governor The same paper contains the following deport, but leaves intact the portion which ompowers him to banish, besides providing penal-

ties for the neglect of his order of banishment. It is very unfortunate that the power of de-The telegram announcing the winner of the portation schoold be withdrawn from this which pours down upon us from the mainland of China, The May Criminal Sessions are over. The most important case was that of Lee Aman a burglar and highway robber of the worst class, who has been sentenced to years' penul servitude and three floggings. is pretty well known that the man is also

The new Supreme Court premises were open murderer, though be successed in arresting the capital charge by intimidating the witnesses. Coroner's jury had returned a verdict Wilful Murder against him.

CANTON. (From a Correspondent). The majority of the gentlemen who were resent ut the former meeting. " to consider the conditions under which the Canton silk trade is at present conducted," and of which peeting I sent you an account, met again, thi order to receive and confirm the resolutions of the Committee.

meeting, at once proceeded to call the attenthe following resolutions, viz.:tom of claiming compensation of the native sellers for any loss in weight on silk, sold in

ind having read the minutes of the former

"Becond: -The foreign buyers of Canton cilk beg to call the attention of native sellers to the fact, that the old custom of contracts will be adhered to as formerly, viz.: That not only will the quantity so contracted for did not desire; though a work earlier we could self an able, active and popular servant of his stand the characters. be required, but also the quality in particular. have builed it with pleasure—but no rain up to Government. His extensive travels in Japan Hou, Mr. KESWICK In case of any difficulty arising therefrom, the question to be acttled by arbitration."

Both these resolutions were carried.

The resolution, passed at the first meeting. relative to an application being made, through the Foreign Consule, "to induce the Viceroy commending the country-dealers to send none This resolution, however, remained in abey-

mittee, as, to the trade, they are matters of the In order to render the above resolutions effective, it will, indeed, be necessary for all foreign silk-dealers, at this port, to act in com-

Canton, May 27th, 1871. SHANGHAI.

The following items are from the N Herald:-

expenditore at The. 77.337.

-within the stipulated time. Hongkong, Canton and Macgo Steambon A royal salute was fired at moon by the Prusalso fired 2 inguns very regularly, although as on the Course. Too much prince cannot be given died bud the preferable fate. frither long intervals.

> day to hold a race for a Cup, walne \$75, pre- ferent arrangements, for the splendid manner. sented by a member. But the day turned out they were carried out. Judging from the exalmost dead culm, and the race was another cellence of the food and the dishes generally, drift, even worse than on the last occasion. The and the quality of the wines, his chef de cuinne place will soon have to form the principal item Phantom, by a combination of good luck and and maitre d'hôtel must have been pupils of the good management, succeeded in geting home a celebrated Charles Eline Francatelli. We need hardly worth while to repeat what already apwinner, at 8.37 p.m., before the gbb tide made; scarcely say that our visitors were made heartibut her competitors were caught by it, obliged by welcome at the tiffin tent table. to anonor, and unable to reach port till 3 a.m. This race, we believe, is the last of the scason; regards weather more favorable than the first; which must, bowever, be the result of the late and we must congratulate the Club on the -being cloudy and cool without any wind. The inroad of pleasure, seeking visitors. It is ru number and spirit of the contests which they attendance of foreigners and Chinese was somebave got up. It is unfortunate that the thing fuller than on the previous day, owing to the last occasion; but their record is for the for which seven ponies started. The favorites most part so brilliant, that they can afford to for it had been, up to the first day of the races, must expect, one disappointment.

Yang-king-pang Bund in plain clothes, and front and won. that his open umbrella caught in the hair of one and after some altercation, the men chaffing visible everywhere, with the wind blowing from within 5 miles of the coast.

mason's quarrel. A native shopked per rushed Trial, and the Consolation fell to Screw. The out and tried to prevent the threatening row, appearance of the sky ere this last race came off quarrels interpose," retired again. The detec- hand. Just as it ended the wind suddenly tive got very severely beaten, but did not chopped round to the northeast, accompanied broken down. disclose his employ till he was vanquished and by thunder and lightning, and a heavy fall of The coolies, themselves in Municipal employ, Tiger and Phonomenon was run in it, and was Shanghai. consented, and appeared at the station, where won by the latter pony. The Mafoo's race some of them were detained for a few hours, came off next, in a torrest of rain, accompanied but liberated. Six of the men were brought up by thunder and lightning. Thus came to an at the Mixed Court charged with the assault, end our Tientsin Spring Race Meeting for 1871.

and with being the means of the detective . We are unable to record the prizes were equally sing his umbrells and watch, but they loudly divided, as Mr. C. Aitch's stable, owing to the protested and said they were the sufferers, great superiority of his ponies, carried off eleven through the loss of bammers and other tools out of fifteen races. We can only express our during the fray, "The magistrate considered hope that at the next autumn meeting the other the Attorney General, the Hon, the Acting therefore "that, "on the score of damage, the stables may obtain the lion's share of the good" Colonial Treasurer, the Hon. H. J. Ball, the parties were quite, but indicted a fine of \$2 things offering, and more especially come in among the six. A day or two ago one of these | winnersof the Challenge and Merchant Steamers' | the Hon. R. Rowett. died, and his friends immediately went to the | Cups. Mr. B. B., one of the leading members | Mixed Court and laid a complaint against the of this community, a good sportsman, and the detective. The Chebsian therefore held an owner of a stable, is we all regret to learn for our inquestion the body at the Yang-king-pang, in sakes, on the eve of leaving here for a southern presence of an immerse crowd of Chinese, and port, so be cannot participate in pext autumn's found that death had resulted from natural good things; we can therefore only heartily causes. To satisfy the man's friends, however, wish him a pleasant passage to his new port, he retails the detective in oustody in the city | good health, and every success in life. It no for a few days. Another of the party unfor doubt appears laughable to the people of tunately happens to he in an unpromising | Shanghai that we have so much to say about condition, and his friends were prompt to our races. They have a multitude of amuseaver that he also was dying from injuries ments all the year round; here, we have, for a

a doctor has testified that the man is suffering

ider disease. The Unitsien has issued a long proclamation. giving notice that, henceforth, the law requiring "Bankers to be secured by four of their ial Government, however, had now been directed neighbours and to be properly registered in the ultimo, at rates which are considered elightly Yumen of their district," which has long been Shanghai, and will be extended to every kind of which work Confas, ten Ningchows or of hong, store and shop. The Chibsien says this step has become necessary on account of the extensive frauds which have been committed by various tradesmen. Persons without any capital whatever open hongs and shops, solely with a view to induce unsuspecting people to deposit money and goods in bought at Tle 311 a 32. A small chop of bot their hands, and then when the deposits tea (Fock hoong) has been settled at Tle 46. bave reached a large amount abscord with the deliverable in Shandhai. Several other chops whole. The sums thus fraudulently obtained have reached in some cases several myriads of have reduced their downward freight to Tla. tuels, and as a natural consequence many fem. per ton on tea, which will probably discourage ilies huge been utterly ruined. Frequently any other "outside" steamers from going up these scamps leave nothing whatever to meet the claims of creditors, and even were a little property remains, it is not unusual for a few of the more wary creditors to induce a foreign. the piece goods market. 81 Shirtings have ader to put forward a claim to it, and have the vanced to Tis. 1.77 to Tis 1.90, T-Clothe 7-ibs.

The Obineien sees no ramedy for these evils. but to have every tradesman secured by his neighbours, and then properly registered at the Yumen. The high provincial authorities have approved of the proposed step, and a despatch has been sent to the foreign Consuls, asking. them to notify the change to their nationals.

FORMOSA. A correspondent in Formosa states that the Mandarins are endeavouring to levy a tax from departure. Tea-planters in a similar way to that which they have succeeded, thanks to the supineness to the Minister in one of the pavilions in the to be agreed to rather tardy ones, and which poverty of the Catholica. afternoon, at the Club-house, Shameen, in of H.B.M. Consul, in placing upon the cambe beautiful gardens of the palace. The Mikado he should be glad to dispose of. As to the phor producers. During the month of April he Committee.

Mr. F. W. Cours having taken the chair, a lekim tax on Tea this year. At first ing. Subsequently to this, the Minister and they started with Tla 1.2.5 per picul, but subset his suite with the leading Officers of State adquently they reduced it to \$1, fearing that they tion of the gentlemen who were present to would have to incur too much opposition if they attempted to levy the larger oum. The "First: That all foreign buyers beg to draw tax presses beavily on the planters. They are every way satisfactory in its bearing upon the almost all hill-men, and were promised protect future relations of the European nations with ed. tion from thieves in return for the money, but Japan it is pretty well known that this promise will ment of their claims for losses sustained during Europe or America, in excess of 3 per cent. on not be fulfilled and that they will have to dethe Tientsio riots, has been published. It shows the net weight previous to shipment, and on pend upon themselves. The planters have rethat the total sum eventually awarded by the Waste in excess of 5 per cent, the weights fused to acquiesce, even in the lower impost, but Chinese Government is Tls 2.500, against Tle. to be taken, being the official weights in Eng. it is expected they will ultimately submit to it. the Obihanjis will shortly be beld in Yedo, to

> TIENTSIN. (N. C. Daily News.) During the greater part of the 10th instant the wind blow strongly from the East, with reports came in from the Course saving that lay the dust and improve its condition.

be seen proceeding towards the Course across teresting subject; and others with which he may the plain on foot, on horse and donkey back, have made himself conversant in the course of and in sedans and carts, the Course lying some- his studies. thing over a mile to the west of the British declined to allow the claim after November. mation, urging the country-dealers not to send Settlement. The first saddling bell was rung lost its most prominent mail by punctually at 12.45, and at 1 P.m. the starter, the departure for America of Mr. Thomas adistinguished visitor from Shanghai, was to be Walsh, of the firm of Walsh, Hull & Co. The seen proceeding with the ponies to the mile incessant devotion of his time to the interester post for the Taze-chub-lin Stakes, our first race. of the house he has ruled to so high a position Wade reduces the original Tls. 2,200 to Tls. Europe and America. It is, nevertheless, to As I make no pretentions to being a racing of influence in Japan, has prevented Mr. Walsh 1,521, and the Chinese cut it down to Tia 621. he hoped that both these important questions man, I must leave the detail description of from taking that active part in public affairs, The Mission Chapels bave been rebuilt by the will receive the earliest attention of the com- | each race to a pen more competent han mine | which the extent of his general information | there, and could be employed by merely giving | to do justice to the subject. I may be allowed and the largeness of his views would have so him a small increase of salary. to mention here generally that the tune made indmirably qualified him to fill. But he has at each race was considered by the sporting always been the liberal supporter of every men very fast, shewing we had at this meeting movement made for the benefit of this place some first rate ponies. I noticed with pleasure that the greater num- privilege of his friendship will retain enduring lation. He usually sent documents down to claimed by the Chinese Government, had been

graced the race with their presence. From fully dispensed as they were liberally extend-Peking we had serveral visitors; amongst others | ed. I saw Count de Rochechouart and other gentiemen belonging to the French Legation. Al- kong, preached last Sunday at Ohriet Church, though the British Minister was at Tientsin in the morning and afternoon services. The We have received a copy of the French he did not honor us with his company at the sermon in the morning on a text from the Municipal report for 1870-71, together with the races; but some of the gentlemen of the British | Psalms was objefly devoted to a consideration Estimater for the ensuing year. The revenue Legation added to the number of spectators, of the future establishment of the Stamp Ordinance was no provision Ordinance was not in force with reference to the for 1870 71 was Tls. 86,019, including a balance Admiral Kellett, too, favoured us with his com- gion throughout the world. The sermon in the for the exemption of duplicate probate. The Tientein Treaty. If that was so, all the cri-Patra \$5861 to \$5875; Benares \$5621; Malwa of The 8,274 from 1869.70, and the expenditure | pany, together with most of his officers, and I afternoon was of a purely Evangelical character duty had already been paid by one executor, minals; who had been entreodered under that The 81 729, leaving a balance in hand of The I also noticed a good number of our blue isokets I ter.

4,289. The revenue for 1871-72, including this and marines. The commanders of the French | According to previous arrangement. Sir for the other to pay it, which was contrary to balance, is estimated at Tle. 81,207, and the and Russian gunboate, with the most of the Harry and Lady Parker left the French Hatcha equity. crews, were likewise at the races. We had only at noon on Monday last for the P. M. S. S. At a meeting of members of the Debating one regret, and that was that the commanders. China. They were received at the Hatoba by a-Society, held on the 23rd tiltime, it was decided officers and crows of the Ashudot and Avon, guard of honour of the 10th Regiment, and and his chair-hirs (sanctioned by the Becretary to hand over the balance of the Society's funds and the other two French gunboats, who salutes were fired by the Elk and Hornet on of State); \$100 for a storekeeper at the Surto the promoters of the new Public Library protected us during last winter, were not their starting for the steamer. Three cheers veyor-General's office; \$1,100 for the Sowkewan and Museum, on condition that, in the event at Tientsin to see our spring races. Amongst were also given for Sir Harry, who replied by Police Station; \$60 for the rent of the Harof the Society being reconstituted, it shall have our foreign visitors, and who had come proposing three cheers for Yokohama. A large bour Master's office at Aberdeen; \$170 for the the privilege of meeting in the Library Build. here by the last steamers from Shanghai for number of friends accompanied the party on sea-wall-at Bonham Strand; and \$2,600 for ing. It will be remembered that H. M. Go- the occasion, a friend pointed out to me a scion | board the China, and the Peiho also conveyed a further repairs to the Central Market, were vernment offered a site for a Public Library, of the noble house of Lauderdale, and two mem- party of ladies and gentlemen down the bay, re- agreed to without discussion. in the neighborhood of the old gaol, on condi- bers of old aristocratic families of the United turning with those who had accompanied Sir tion that the building was creeted within a States of America. One of these lutter men. Harry Parkes. On this latter vessel the band certain time. This time is now within two tioned gentlemen bad the kindness to fill the of the 10th Regiment was stationed, and on the Council had already voted \$1,600 for the repair months of expiry; but we are glad to learn position of starter; and the other two gentles starting of the China struck up "Home, Sweet of the central part of the market after the fire, that a struggle is being made at the last men, in the absence of a rider whom we had ex- Home. moment to raise the necessary funds, and that pooted from Poking, but whom a serious ac- The three men who were arrested and proved

to the Steward, who also filled the position of The Yacht Club took advantage of the holi- Clerk of the Course, who had charge of the dif-The second day, the 12th instant, was as re-

weather should have been so unpropitious on it being the Challenge Cup day, an event Dut up with, as on the doctring of chances they | Screw and Diavolo, the former the winner of this Challenge Cup for the first time last An inquest was held on the 23rd May on the autumn. The winner on this occasion, however, body of Thomas Mitchenson, chief officer of the was Chanticleev, belonging to another stable; (limited) will be at a high premium—in his schooner Anne, who was stabbed about I a.m. consequently the cup changed hands and on that day, by a seaman of the vessel, named has to be run for again next autumn. The Part of the programme will be that the Governor of St. Vincent. The next thing was Williams, who came on board drunk. Williams distance, two miles, was done in four minutes P. M. steamers reduce their fares by one half, was committed on the charge of wilful murder, thirty-six seconds-which time is considered by and guarantee good digestion and better food salaries. They desired to be placed on the same and was sentenced to death on the let instant, our sporting men remarkably quick. Mazipan, for at least two meals, during the passage. An inquest was held on the 23rd ulto, on the a Peking owned pony, came in a good second, Troops continue to be sent up North from body of a Chinaman whose death, it was sileged and Screw third. The race was a splendid one, Satzuma and Higo, either to protect or to duties were quite as onerous as those of the by his friends, had followed from injuries in and at one time it looked as if Mazipan was attack the Mikado's Government-which it police. flicted in a fray with a native detective of the going to keep to the front to the winning post, Police Force, about a fortnight since. It ap- but when Chanticleer's jockey called upon his

received in the fight. But in this case, as in | general amusement for all, only our spring and the other, they are unable to point to any, and autumn races.

13th May, 1871. HANKOW.

The Hankow ten market opened on the 20th the new crop were placed on the market, half Oolongs, and the remainder Tongsan. Confas are reported to be as good if not better than last sesson, but the Tongsans inferior. The well-known Oopack chop, Teen-wo, has been settled at Tle. 30 the same price it obtained last year. Two chops of Confas were bought at Tis. 311 a 32. A small chop of box are reported settled. The S. S. N. Company and disappoint some of those which are bere The Enterprise, Ulyeses and Erl King are asking 27. There has been a rather better feeling in whole foreibly carried off, without regard to Tis. 2.40 to 1.40.—Daily News.

> (Japan Mail, May 27th.) His Majesty the Mikado received Sir Harry Parkes, accompanied by Mr. Adams and Mr. Satow, on Thursday the 18th instant, first in public audience, and afterwards more privately. His Majesty in his speech paid a just tribute to the friendly relations which Sir Harry Parkes had always maintained with his Government, and expressed his regret at his

> A private audience was afterwards granted iourned to one of the summer-houses in the grounds, and remained for some time engaged in a conference which it is understood was in

The Prince of Satsuma is expected in a few days at the espital. Shimadzu Saburo will not territories by ill health. A great conclave of concert measures for the unification of the Empire under the new regime, and for the support of the Mikado's Government.

Amongst the passengers by the last outgoing of doonments. Mr. Smith could state that he American mail was M. Von Brandt, Charge was peculiarly well qualified to perform this heavy banks of clouds rolling up from that d'Affaires and Consul-General for the North service. quarter, foreboding wet weather which, as we German Confederation. M. Von Brandt has The Acting Colonial-Treasures observed are now close upon our Spring Bace Meeting, we | resided in Japan many years, and proved him- that Mr. Rozario did not pretend to under bedtime. During the night I was, however, have given him a great command of useful and awakened by heavy, rain beating against the valuable information respecting the country; venetians. At daylight it had consed, and its condition and resources: An earnest and we saw signs of the weather clearing up; and indefatigable student and enquirer, he has paid much attention to the religions of Japan, their the rain of last night had just been sufficient to rise, progress and decline, and we hope that his return to Europa will afford him leisure for About noon, foreigners and Chinese were to the publication of his researches into this in-

The Mercantile community of Yokohama ber of the foreign ladies of the community recollections of kin nesses which were as grace- Mr. Smith, but he had no right to do so.

The Rt. Revd. Dr. Alford. Bishop of Hong. Courts.

there is every change of a house being built cident, we were sorry to hear, had prevented to have been concerned in the assault of Measure. coming, bad the kindness to put on the colors Dallas and Ring in Yedo, have been nunished. Many of the ships in harbour were decorated for the absent jockey and pull us through our Two have been first disgraced from the rank of on the 24th, in bonor of the Queen's birthday. difficulties. The prefect Ma was the only retwo sworded men and then hanged. The third presentative of the Chinese authorities; and was degraded and then sent to endure a ten it was rather hard to call upon him to pay his Blan corvette Hertha; the clipper Termopyla there were few well dressed Chinese spectators years imprisonment. We believe the two who

NAGASAKI.

(N. C. Daily News.) have our regular "Etablissement des Baine," "Casino" and, perhaps, rollette tables, all of mored that one of your distinguished sharebrokers has just made arrangements to introduce a scheme for developing the attractions of Nagasaki by means of a Public Company, to be formed in Shanghai as scott as the Hong. how Bridge Company's shares are at a discount. Your Broker assures us that, after the Tea season, the "Nagseaki Dissipation Co."

may be nobody seems to know. The Corean Expedition left on 16th inst, pears that the detective was walking along the pony at the finish, he gallantly rushed to the with them a calchated photographer from Yokohama, who will, it is said, make a large The appearance of the weather on the morn- album of the anticipated blank views to be crease. of the Chinese stone-workers employed there, ing of the 18th instant, was strongly indicative taken from the Flagship, as it is confidently The mason struck the defective wibh a rope, of an approaching storm, heavy clouds being expected that the Colorado will be able to anchor

by the detective about wearing a long coat and the S.E .- our wet quarter. We had three races on The English Admiral in daily expected from being the possessor of a foreign umbrella, the cards for this day—the Merchant Steamers. Peking, and hischips now in berbour consist of others came round, a crowd soon gathered, Oup the TrialStakes and the Consolation Stakes, the Ocean, Adventure, and June. We have here some esponsing the detective's side but the At about 12 o'clock five ponies started for the also the French Ironglad Alma and gunboats better be put down under a different department showing themselves interested in the first race, and Chanticleer won it, Avon won the Coellogon and Lamothe; also the Danish fright inent, because it was said the expenditure on

Business is not duller than usual: but we but receiving the reward of "those who in was terrible-warning us of a deluge close at have not settled 500,000 pieces Shirtings during improve matters. It was no more expense the past fortnight, nor has our Decima bridge | wider the police department than any other, The Albun's Isles is engaged full for London]

> 25th May, 1871. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Monday, May 29th. The Council met at 2 p.m. Present:--H. E he Lieut.-Governor, the Hon, the Chief Jus tice, the Hon, the Colonial-Secretary, the Hon Hon. P. Ryrie, the Hon. the W. Keswick, and

The Clerk of the Council proceeded to read the minutes of the last meeting. Hon. Mr. Ball said he had not, as was state in the minutes. "withdrawn" his suggestion in reference to the clauses proposed by him.

The expression was altered so as to read thus stated that he would not press, &c.? With regard to the passage in the minutes referring to the vote for Government House – The Acting COLONIAL TREASURER said he other sources. thought it ought to be stated that the Surveyor-General could not do the work for the sum he had estimated. The CHIEF-JUSTICE.—Then in justice to the testant.

Surveyor General you should say more; becance he gave reasons for it. There was a con. he analogous to a grant in aid to the State The ATTORNEY GENERAL said the reason Mr. Moorsom could not do the work was because his other duties were of too exacting able way of putting it. nature. The Council had considered it adrisable that the usual rule should be departed |

from in this case, and that the Surveyor-General should take the work himself. Now he wished to be relieved of this. The ACTING-TREASURER said he also gave the reason that be could not do the work at the estimate he had given. His Excellency said be understood that

too; that in consequence of a combination, he could not buy in the markets at the rates he The CHIEF-JUSTICE said the estimate had been founded on those of the military, but in consequence of the slowness of payment by the

Sovernment as compared with the military, the prices at which the former could buy were na. done justice, we should draw the line there. His Excellency.—I understood that he could not go into the market and buy at the

The CHIES-JUSTICE.—At which the military

Hon: Mr. Rowerr said it implied weakness on the part of the Government that it could not cope with a combination. The ATTORNEY-GENERAL.—But we have no Hon. Mr. BOWETT .- Why should not pay

ment be promptly made. The Acting-Treasures.—This all occurred at the last meeting. The COLONIAL SECRETARY would be very glad if payment could be promptly made, because he had lots of payments there which were.

and Sir Harry Parkes alone were seated, the question of the Burveyor-General's estimate, a Hon. Mr. Balt.—Make a mistake. The CHIEF-JUSTICE.—I don't think he ha made a mistake : I think he has been misled by

The additional clause was inserted in the minutes, which were then confirmed as amend-

The COLONIAL SECRETARY then brought forward some votes which it was necessary that arrive until the autumn, being detained in his the Council should pass. The first was one of \$270, for the payment of an increased salary (of \$45 a month) to Chun-Tai-Kwong, as ussistant interpreter in the Summary Court. Hon, Mr. BALL said the services of Chun Tai-Kwong-were much required as a translator

man for the post then. The CHIEF-JUSTICE.—In some respects perhaps. But we can't get a better. Hon. Mr. Barr thought him a very good interpreter of the spoken language.

The CHIEF-JUSTICE concurred.

Hon. Mr. Rowett enquired whether there were none of the European student-inter. not do so. preters qualified for such a post. The ACTING-TREASURER :- Certainly, The Forders relating to this question be read. Chief Justice frequently sends documents dot a

Hon. Mr. Rowerr did not refer to the hon member. Was not Mr. Wodehouse, for in stance, qualified? The Colonial Secretary said be was no

The Acting Treasurer said he was perfectly qualified. But Chun-Tai-Kwong was

This was agreed to. of Probote Duty to Mr. Laprait.

Votes of \$1,113 for the Assistant Surveyo

The Colonial Secretary explained, with reference to the last mentioned item, that the but that it was now found advisable to repave &c., eastern and western portions. The next was a vote of \$280 for boat-hire to

The Conomial Secretary remarked that. Dr. Adams was constantly on the water, and own boat-hire when all the other departments had bouts.

The next item was \$6,000 for expenses incur red in the Supreme Court house. The Colonial Secretary observed that The arrivals and departures of distinguished the original estimate bad been \$22,600, which Ohion residents at this fashionable watering with the extras (\$1,500) made \$24,100. They had paid \$12,402 in 1870, and the Council had of intelligence from Nagagaki. However, it is veted \$5,700 in 1871 total \$18,102, leaving a balance of 5.997 and odd cents. Of this \$4.997 pears in your usual lists of passengers, until we would have been applied from the sum voted in 1870, if the payments had been made during that financial year.

Agreed to. The next item was \$200 for law-books, the Oh'ef-Justies having made application for the money voted for this purpose in 1870 (which was not expended), as well as the amount for this year, so that he might have \$400 at his sposal. Agreed to. Sums were next voted for the pensions o

Messrs. Forth and Rennic. The Colonial Secretary from arked that the latter pension would probably not be called for, as Mr. Rennie had been appointed Lieut. an application by the gaol staff for increased footing as constables in the police. It seemed to him to be a very just application as their

HIS EXCELLENCY observed that they got \$20 a month, and to his certain knowledge they had to walk 20 miles a day. This was very hard work, and they only petitioned for a small in-

The Colonial Secretary gave the details of the increase applied for, which would amount to \$1,002 for the six months, or \$1,336 if allowed to commence with the present month. The rote for the eight months was agreed to. The Acting-Treasurer thought it had the police was so large. "Hon, Mr. KERWICK did not see that would

and it was moré convenient. The Actino-Treasurer said that was very helpless on the prompt when he appealed to rain. Notwithstanding the dreadful state of with about 500 tons Tea, and other ships in satisfactory to hon, members who knew all them to take him to the Central Police Station, the weather, a two miles match between harbour have employment at \$21 per ton to about it, but discussions frequently arose on the police estimates. Hon. Mr. BARL. But do youthink discussions

> The Acting-Terasurer replied that they Hon, Mr. Rowerr.—If you can't brave discussion you'd better not do it.

.The Colonial Secretary stated that there was next an application from Father Raimondi on behalf of the Catholic Community for \$2,500. A legacy of \$1,000 left to him, Father Raimondi stated, he would apply to the fund, and with what he expected to collect he hoped to be able to build a new Chapel for the Catholics of the Colony. His first application was for a site, but on finding that there was no convenient site in the hands of the Government, he now applied for money to purchase one.

His Excellency thought weought to do for the Catholics what had already been done for the Protestants, that is, grant them \$2,500, conditionally on a like num being obtained from Hon. Mr. Ball asked His Excellency to con-

sider that the Catholic community, though far more numerous, were not so rich as the Pro-The Acting Treasurer and this could not

The CHIEF-JUSTICE dissented from this view. Hon. Mr. BALL thought that a very underfr-The ACTING TREASURER made some remarks anent the non-consecration of the Cathelia Cathedral.

Hon. Mr. KESWICK said that was altogether apart from the question. If the other denomination had obtained a grant, it was an act of common justice to give the Roman Catholics one, and put them on the same looting. He did not approve of the grant. He thought it was a mistake ever to have given to any denomination. He did not believe in Church and State ; but as it had been given to the Protestants, it was only right to give it to the Roman Catholics. - But by hoped it would not be made a precedent for the future. Every religion ought to stand on its intringic merits, and he hoped that having now

Hon. Mr. Bowerr believed the Colony was under great obligations towards the Roman Catholics. The Reformatory at West-point was a most useful institution, and the Eisters of Charity did a great deal of good harbouring exposed children. It was hardly credible how much they did in this way, receiving many hundreds of obildren every year, and getting nothing for it. And when children were taken to the Gaol they were sent on to the disters of Charity.

not assisted by this vote. His Excerner proposed that the Council should grant for this purpose a like sum to that subscribed by them. Hon. Mr. BALL again neked His Excellency to take into consideration the comparative

The APPORNEY-GENERAL -But they are

The CHIEF-JUSTICE. - Well, you know, there are \$1,000 to be given. H.n. Mr. Bart.—Oh, you mean the \$1,000 to be taken into consideration. Their I have not another word to say. The grant of \$2,500 was agreed to, conditionally on a like sum being subscribed. The next item was £500 to Mr. Lister, which he was entitled to draw as an interpreter since

Master's Department. Hon. Mr. KESWICK thought he ought to be The Acting Treasurer said he was most anxious to be employed. The CHIEF JUSTICE said Mr. Lister had shown great ability. He had never neem a

be had ceased to be employed in the Harbour

better index than the one made by him, and he had bad a good deal of experience of indexmaking This vote, the last on the list, was agreed to. BENDITION TO CHINA The COLONIAL SECRETARY brought in a short ordinance to remove doubts as to the ap-Hou, Mr. KESWICK.-He is surely an unfit plicability of Ordinance No. 2 of 1850 to Treaties with China, made and concluded sub-

> sequently to the passing of that Ordinance. He moved that it be read a first time. The CHIEF-JUSTICE, after looking at the draft, said he thought be might move now that it be not read a first time. The COLONIAL-SECRETARY said he could The OHINE JUSTICE asked that the standing It appeared from these, that no discussion

could take place on the first reading of a bill, but that the grounds of its introduction should be stated either by the Governor or a member of the Government deputed by him. . The CHIEF-JUSTICE said he did not wish to discuss the Ordinance: merely to move that it

be not read. He asked his Excellency to note The ATTORNEY GENERAL proceeded to explain the grounds on which the Ordinance was

The CHIEF-JUSTICE thought if the addi- | laid on the table. The rendition clause of the tional salary were paid he should be employed Treaty of Tientain had till recently been carried also in the same copneity in the Supreme Court, | into effect under Ordinance 2 of 1850, and or this community, and those who enjoyed the where occasionally a document required trans- numbers of crimidals, subjects of China; and surrendered under it. The Ordinance had The COLONIAL SECRETARY then enquired if always been accepted down to 1571 as a proper he was to put down \$70 a month for both Ordinance under which to act, the question never having been raised previously. But the recent case of Kwok Asing caused the question The next vote was a small amount for refund to be raised, and he understood from the Chief-Justice that he considered a portion of his The ATTORNEY-GENERAL explained that in judgment in that case as a decision that that and under the Ordinance it would be necessary Treaty had been illegally anrendered. That

The CHIEF-JUSTICE —How so

The ATTORNEY GENERAL. - Because there had been constant correspondence regarding No. 9 of 1857, leaving the prohibition to reside, rendition under the Treaty, and no question had been raised. But now that it was raised, it the punishment of those who should disobey became a very serious thing, to entertain any the order of banishment by returning. There doubt on the subject, because the Treaty still existed, and we were bound to carry it out. Therefore he thought it necessary, until further instructions from home, to pass this Teclaratory Ordinance for present purposes. Its effect was simply to continue the one on which the Government had acted for the last twelve years. It would be competent to the Scoretary of State to say whether this Ordinance should go ou, or a new one was desirable. In the meanwhile, there were weekly applications for rendition which could not be complied with. The CHIEF-JUSTICE -- Weekly P

The ATTORNEY GENERAL. - Yes; there have been three since the Kwok Asing judgment three weeks ago, so that I am justified in say-The OHIEF JUSTICE then asked his Excellency whether he might move that the Ordi-

HIS EXCELLENCY said that he could not do The CHIEF JUSTICE bowed to His Excellency's decision.

nance be not read a first time.

The Ordinanco was then read a first time. The Acting Colonial Treasurer moved. as this was an urgent case, to set saide the Standing Orders and proceed to the second, reading. The CHIEF JUSTICE objected to that, because this Ordinance had been the greatest surprise to him possible. Hon. Mr. Rowerr. - I bog to second the ob. jection of the Chief-Justice, because it has taken every one by surprise.

new Ordinance-The CHIEF JUSTICE rose to order. hon, member had spoken and moved. must now wait until the time came to reply.

was not the introduction or hurrying through | not practicable, and therefore a separate Ordinof any new measure. The Conneil would be thought proper to outer into with China. elapsed since the judgment, and he thought pardoned, and the onus of deciding their such increase of capital be effected by the issue they could wait another day or two. c ellency had been ill.

very desirable to give notice to the Chief-Justice, but still the case was one of pressing necessity. which has been acted on for 12 years. Hon, Mr. KRSWICK seconded the motion to proceed to the second reading. It was import-

ant to deal boldly with a question like this, which was likely otherwise to give us trouble in connection with China. now decided not to be in force was in that book (indicating the Ordinance book) The ATTORNEY-GREEAL thought there | bave power to commit. could not be much danger in continuing an Or-

dinance which bad been acted on so long. Hon. Mr. Ryris did not think it ought to be oassed without deliberation. The motion to set aside the Standing Orders and proceed to the second reading was then voted upon, with the following result :-For the Motion :- The Colonial Secretary, the

Attorney-General, the Acting Colonial-Trea-Burer, Hon. Mr. Ball, Hon. Mr. Kerwick. Against it :- The Chief-Justice, Hon. Mr. Ryrie, Hon. Mr. Rowett. It was afterwards discovered that a twothirds vote was necessary to set neide th Standing Orders, and the Governor's two votes were thrown in for the motion, which was thus

The CHIEF JUSTICE then said that before proceeding to the discussion of the second reading, he begged to say that he had been unwell all that day, and had only come there because it was his duty to be there. He therefore asked respectfully to be allowed to leave His Excellency.—If you feel unwell, I sup-

pose you can go. The CHIER JUSTICE then withdrew. The Colonial Sedectary said he saw no reason why the Council should not proceed "They were simply doing what the Government expected them lo do.

Hon. Mr. KESWICK said it appeared to him, unless this Ordinance were passed, that Hongkong would become the receptacle for all the The Ordinance was then read a second time. His Excellency then moved that this bill

Hop. Mr. Rowert said be should not like to vote for the Ordinance. His object was not to oppose it, but to oppose anything like bringing the 16th instant. on a measure so suddenly, and hurrying it on so quickly. He thought it would be a bad pre-The ATTORNEY-GENERAL said it was done

power was vested in the Governor for the very | vesterday afternoon at half-past 4 o'clock, under purpose of carrying urgent measures with the supervision of Messrs. London and Laws the hands of the Governor, but of the Council, communication with Singapore and the other

purpose, and that the Colonial Secretary added | pedition, which was under the superintendence His Excellency's votes. be the last man at that board to hurry on a shore end was landed at Singapore and 15 measure; but when an Ordinance had been act-knots or nautical miles of beavy Cable ed on for so long, and the new one was simply were paid out. The end and staff were declaratory, it was always usual to pass the then transferred to the Belgian, Captain

and so have I, if that is not law. (Laughter.) dissenting) and numbered 2 of 1871. BARRISTEE'S ORDINANCE.

on for any further amendment in Committee. Her station as maintenance vessel for the After a few verbal and otherwise uninteresting British Indian and China extension cables. amendments, the Ordinance was passed and The staff with the end being once more transnumbered 3 of 1871.

Lieut-Governor, the Chief-Justice, the Co-sisting of 400 knots was paid out. The lonisi Secretary, the Attorney-General, the final operations were conducted on board Acting-Colonial Treasurer, Hon, H. J. Ball, Hop. P. Ryrie, Hon. W. Keswick, Hon. R. end was passed from the Belgian. About The minutes of the previous meeting were

read and confirmed. STATUTORY PENALTIES.

a bill to amend Ordinance 14 of 1860, and for her, at about 6:30 p.m. on Friday. Arrangestated in explanation that recent occurrences ments were then made to land the shore had drawn attention to the subject of Statutory | end as speedily as possible, in order that Penalties, and that it was thought advisable to there might be sufficient time to get out to extend the provisions of the Ordinance to be the buoy and make the final splice before dark. amended, in order that vexations actions might | Notwithstanding the thick, unfavourable weabe stopped, and public officers protected in the Eller, this operation was finished by \$30 p.m. discharge of their duties. the two ends baying been previously tested. and the electrical condition of the cubic found DEPORTATION AND BANISHMENT.

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL next rose to ex- entisfactory thus completing the communi-1857, power is given to the Governor in Council on all concerned. The whole of the staff and born or a naturalised subject of Her Majesty, to another no less than six times, but, not withfrom residing in the Colony during a term of live standing this, had it not been for some bad years; and by another part of the same section weather which was experienced off the Paracels. Hutchison, R. D. Adams, G. M. Smith, A won. power is given to deport any person disobeying when it was necessary to cut and buoy the cable. C. Levysohn, P. Gifford, C. Mestern, F. W. years; and by another part of the same section | weather which was experienced off the Paracels. the order of the Governor to that effect. It contains, however, no provision for the imposition arrived within an hour or two of the time exof a penalty for returning to the Colony before the expiration of the term of banishment, and hours; thus maintaining the high character for letter Another Ordinance had been passed tion Company carry out their contracts.

punge the objectionable part of the Ordinance and foreign nations. and adding another section providing for

were only four sections in the Ordinance pass nosed, which might be regarded, as a tempo ary measure, unless it should be found to work sufficiently well for all practical purposes. The CHIEF-JUSTICE, asked that the correspondence on which the Attorney-General relied should be laid on the table with the bill. The ATTORNEY GENERAL said lie knew of

no precedent for such an application. The CHIEF JUSTICE said members had been told that the home notherities took a certain to his room with an attack of rheumatism, and view, in obedience to which this Ordinatice was to be passed. They ought to know what that absence the directors had asked the speaker to

with the Governor to produce the correspon- that the object for which it was called dence, which could not be called for. it: I do not call for it. The COLONIAL SECRETARY.-Notice about have been given of the application.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY - Then you must give notice of the application for the next meet. ing. You can't discuss anything now. The CHIEF-JUSTICE.-I don't wish to; and I bow to what the Colonial Secretary lays down as the law.

mentioned. It was for the trial and punishment of offenders found at large within the College in violation of a conditional pardon. The Acting TREASURER said if this were a Ordinance No. 7 of 1870, which had been recently disallowed, was peculiar to Chinese, to whom conditional pardons were granted, and whom He it was desirable to re-deport (in case of their return) in mediately after punishing them for identity lay upon him. The object of the of five hundred shares of \$100 each." The Colonial-Secretary said His Ex. Ordinance of last year was that European Hon, Mr. Ball thought it would have been ed by a jury. Now up the Ordinance with on the new shares.

former, and put all on the same footing. This increase the liability of the company bill provided that all, whether Europeans or \$37,500, or by \$6,000 per annum. Chinese, should be entitled to go before a jury. Mr. STUDD enquired what restriction would on the question of identity, and that when this be placed upon the sale of new shares. was established the Court might award them a punishment not exceeding their original or bet forth in the letters which had passed Hon, Mr. Ball observed that the Ordinance commuted punishment. Perhaps in Commit- on the subject, that the shares would be tee it might be thought desirable that when the identity was admitted the magistrate should PAWNEROKERS' ORDINANCE.

upon the Pawnbrokers Ordinance. The ATTORNEY GENERAL read the report of last year to enquire into the subject. That shares the revenue of the Company could be inreport embodied an amended bill, which was the one now before the Council. The bon. and | the shares further advancing. learned member then proceeded to read and Mr. Study Then I am to understand that no explain some of the sections of the amended restriction will be placed on those shares? bill. One of these provided that all loans (where there was no special agreement; should not at liberty at present to say what it will be be considered to be made for six months. be at liberty to redeem his pledge at any time market. within the six months, by paying the principal

Amendment accordingly. After some further discussion, and repeated inceting on the 12th June, to confirm the ro erences back to the original Ordinance to be amended by the present one. Hon. Mr. BALL asked whether it would not be better to consolidate the law relating to pawnbrokers.

and interest to date.

The COLONIAL-SECRETARY thought it would The ATTORNEY-GENERAL said he thought the Committee would not object to that, and for his own part he thought it would be much better. He understood that the Commoil approved of the recommendations of the Committee. The proposal to-consolidate was not before the Committee. His Excultancy thought it would be sim-

pler to consolidate the law. The ATTORNEY GENERAL then proposed that this bill should stand over, and meanwhile be would prepare a consolidated draft. The Council was then adjourned to Friday

THE CHINA SUBMARINE CABLE. - (Daily Press, June 5th.)

We have received information that the finalaccording to the Rules and Regulations. This splice of the China Submarine Cable was made with efficient staffs on behalf of the China Sub-The ACTING TREASURED said it was not in marine Cable Co. thus placing Hungkong in It was here that hon, members discovered parts of the telegraphic world as far us San that they required a two-thirds vote for the Francisco. The vessels employed in the Exof Messrs, Hockin and Lumbert, were the The Colonial Secretary said he should Agnes, Captain Worsley, from which the Leighton, when 95½ knots were laid. Hon. Mr. BALL.—He has committed murder, cable was then passed to the Kangaroo, which after laying 6231 knots returned to Singapore. The Ordinance was passed (Hon. Mr. Ryrie The staff then returned to the Agner, and the end being passed to that vessel, sue paid out 96 knots; and, having completed her part of the This bill, reprinted as amended, was brought work, she returned to Singapore to take up ferred, to the Minia, Captain Martin, 114 knots. were paid out, when the services of the Belgian. Capt. Leighton, were brought into requisition. The Council met at 2 p.m. Present : H.E. the and the remaining portion of her section conthe Minia, Captain Margin, to which the 100 knots being paid out, the cable was cut and the end buoyed about 43 miles from Hongkong, the Belgian remaining outside to keep watch over the buoy. The Minia then steamed in for Tai-The COLONIAL SHOBETARY laid on the table, towar, where she anthored, at the spot selected

plain the purport of two short Ordinances, cation with Singapore, India, Europe and the one relating to the breach of conditional America, the total length of cable laid being persons dangerous to the peace and good order. This work has been carried out in the most of the Colony. By section 7 of Ordinance 2 of lefficient manner, and reflects the highest credit to probibit any person, not being a netural. instruments had to be transferred from one ship in 700 fathoms of water, the vessels would have pected. As it was, they only exceeded it by 24

therefore that Ordinance had been a dead punctuality with which the Telegraph Construclast year providing for the punishment and re- This Company, since March, 1870, have laid deportation of those who returned. The subject the British Indian Cable from Bombay to Aden of deportation, however. had recently been and Suez; the Falmouth, Lishon, Gibraltar and brought to the notice of the law-officers of the Maita cable, connecting those places; the Mar-Orown if connection with the powers of seilles and Algiers cable; the British Indian Colonial Legislatures in general, and not in Extension cable, from Singapore to Penang reference particularly to this Colony. They and Madras, the Batavian section of the Brihad advised that a Colonial Legislature had no | tish Australian cable from Batavia to Singapower to enact laws for forcible deportation, pore, of which the remaining section to Port but that persons might be sorbidden to reside Darwin will be completed this year, and now within a Colony. Hence the first portion of add to their the list the present undertaking. section 7 of Ordinance 9 of 1857 was in In most of these enterprises Mesers. London accordance with their views, while the and Laws, who have conducted the present latter one was not. The Ordinance of last operations, have played an important part year, which pertainly worked very well as This is an unprecedented amount of work to long as it was tried, gave power to inflict get through in so short a space of time; and it punishment, but it also provided for re-deports | will be interesting to China renders to learn' tion, and therefore the Ordinance had been dis- that this success is mainly due to Captain The question now was, what was to Sherard Osborne, so well known in these parts, be done. The Government were instructed to | whose foresight, energy and powers of organirepeal'such portions of Ordinances as provided sation have been the chief elements in the condition in bull engine, and boller, and the latter for deportation, but they were still allowed to vast and rate remarkable portion of it. Nor would probibit residence in the Colony. The question completed; among which the establishment of boiler in good working order; can be put to work Fish, Oysters, Seaweed, Sulphur, Ginseng and der all hands. At the time witness left by we confine the selection to books published in was a very difficult and delicate one, and he (the direct telegraphic communication between the at short notice, requiring only the time necessary other medicinal roots. hon, hiembel) had prepared for submission by this fextreme East and the West will probably to get up steam.

draft of a more comprehensive Ordinance Mean. the means both of inthering commerce and while it was proposed for the present to ex- promoting amicable relations between China

> STEAMBOAT COMPANY. Purauant to notice, an extraordinary meeting of the shareholders in the above company took place at their offices on the 29th altimo. Prosent: E. Hitchcook, Esq., in the chair Mesers. Deacon, Sage, Weller, Dixwell, Hend, Terry. Studd, Notley, Barnes, Geo, Heard, Lutkins, Hayward, D. D. Sussoon, Anton; and Greig. The CHAIRMAN suid that he had received a

letter from the Chairman of the Company Baron do Gercal, stating that he was confine regretted he could not attend. In view of his take the chair. He then read the notice con-The Colonial Secretary baid it rested vening the meeting, and went on to say ence, which could not be called for.

The CHIEF-JUSTICE.—Of course. I ask for namely, to obtain the confirmation by the sharsholders of the purchase of the Spark and Spec, and the good will of the line on which they were ranning. The matter had been The CHIEF-JUSTICE.—But we didn't know freely discussed in the papers, and the Directors

were glad that was the case, as they were desirous of giving the shareholders every information on the subject. With respect to the condition of the steamers, the Government Agents had held surveys upon them, and their reports were laid on the table for the inspection of the shareholders.* The Directors were The Attorney General proceeded to extiguily of opinion that the purchase of these steamers would be to the interest of the Company, and would be glad to hear any remarks which the starcholders had to make. After some little time, no remarks being offered, the chairman said it would be in order to but

the resolution. It was then proposed by Mr. Descon, seconded, and put to the meeting :--"That for the purpose of enabling, the company to complete the contract entered into by such breach of the conditions of their pardons. the board of Directors, on behalf of the com-The ACTING, TREASURER resumed 1-This With European offenders re-deportation was pany, for the purchase of the steam vessels Spark and Spec, with the good will of the trade ance. No. 16 of 1870, had been passed with refer- now carried on therewith, between Macao and wrong if for a single hour it delayed carrying ence to them, which was supposed to be an im. Canton, the capital of the company, be, and into effect that treaty which the Queen had provement on Ordinance No. 1 of 1860. By the sum is hereby increased by the sum of this latter Ordinance the magistrate had power \$50,000 of Hangkong currency, making the en-Hon, Mr. Rowerr said that three weeks had to recommit returning offenders conditionally tire capital of the company, \$800,000; and that

Mr. Grerg, enquired whether the whole offenders should have their identity decid- amount, or only \$75 per share, would be paid up reference to Chinese offenders had been disal . The CHAIRMAN replied they would be sublowed, and no deportation would bereafter take ject to the same conditions as the old shares, The COLONIAL SECRETARY. - Well, if the place, the distinction between Europeans and that is, \$75 paid up, or a total of \$37,500. It bon member talks of surprise, I think he might Chinese was unnecessary, and it was proposed would be noticed that a clause in the circular have given us notice of setting ande a law to repeal last year's Ordinance concerning the set this forth, stating that the new issue would

The CHAIRMAN in reply stated that it was restricted. This would rest with the General Agents, who would no doubt take the stens necessary to protect the interests the old shareholders. The Obairman, at the The Council then went into Committee suggestion of Mr. Heard, further stated that more than 4,000 shares had changed hands dur-

ing the last six menths, at advancing prices, and the Special Committee of the Council appointed it was not to be supposed that if by adding 500 granted. breased \$10,000 or \$12,000, this would prevent The CHAIRMAN-There will be but we ar

> It is not to be supposed, however, that the The resolution was then carried manimously; and the Chairman having called attention to the announcement of an extraordinary

special resolution, the meeting separated. CIRCULAR. To the Shareholders of the Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Company, Limited.

HANGRONG, May 18th, 1871. The undersigned have been instructed by the Board of Directors to lay before the Share-

ever, recently signified their willingness to dispose of the yeasels and their goodwill for about \$75,000 to \$80,000, and the Board have deemed it advisable to purchase them rather than allow them to pass into other hands. A

o depreciate the value of the old shares. each. paid up, at par), or by \$6,000 per annum, siders that he will be able to complete his voy-(assuming that the same dividend of 16 % be age, and has accordingly pressed on, writing the two vessels and their goodwill amount to destroyed. \$57,500. Against this the Company will receive \$20,000 per annum, even supposing that the

profit on the working of the line is much less than it has been during the past few years, and this is not anticipated The increase of capital under the Articles of Association will require the sanction of the Shareholders: if it be made, the total number of shares will be 8,000, and the full amount of the capital \$800,000, of which \$500,000 will be If the arrangement is carried out, the Com-

pany will acquire the earnings of the Steamers Any further information that may be desired can be obtained by Shareholders on applying to AUGUSTINE HEARD & CO.

MEETING OF SHAMIEN LAND RENTERS.

Minutes of a Meeting held at H.M.'s Consulate. Canton, on the 29th of May, 1871, for the purpose of electing a Council for the man, and by the Chinese troops who came the boats, the captain was in the first boat, besitate to write anything hearing on their agement of Municipal matters on Shamien. to the aid of Corea with matchlocks, of which also mate and second mate. The captain bad favourite studies. But they would glad-Present: - Mesars. P. J. Hughes, H.B.M. Consul. in the chair: A. M. Gepp. T. Thomas, A. Coare, T. Sampson, W. Smith, E. N. Metta, H. C. Baber, and B. Brenau. The CHAIRMAN read the Circular convening

the meeting: "By the terms of the lease under which land a held at Shamien from H.B.M.'s Government. it appears to have been intended that the manof the non-existence of such a Committee that power was given to H.M.'s Consul to assume charge of Municipal matters. "At the instance of Mr. Robertson a Com-

* The Surveys referred to were, (a) -One by Capt. Hooper, surveyor for the Government and it had the value of all pioneer work. local offices, on the Spark, duted November 24th. 1870. in which the vessel is described as having been nearly rebuilt the previous month, the hull in first engines in good working order, the vessel "a good block risk for insurance." (b) One by Capt. G. U. Sands on the Spark on Spec, which describes former in very good running

did not appear to be the view of the nithorities | deverament to the Sporetary of the prove one of the most important; and will be resigned soon after their appointment, and THE "DOLORES UGARTE." TRAGEDY. their functions devolved on H.M.'s Consul, who has been ever since entrusted, by common coneent with the exercise of duties, more properly belonging to the Land Renters themselves. "The undersigned believes that no difficulty will now be found in electing a Committee.

Land Renters are therefore requested to attend a meeting which will be held, for this purpose, in the office of this Consulate on Monday next, the 29th instant, at 3 p.m. "Gentlemen representing Land Reuters who have no Establishments on Shamien, are vecommencement of the Meeting. The -"P. J. HUGHES.

The CHAIRMAN stated that this Circular sufficiently explained the object for which the Land Renters had met on this occasion, and change in ownership. Commenced to load penal servitude for ten years. he would be glad to hear any one present who about the 28th of April, the coolies were re- These sentences were delivered this morning | fees now paid to the various societies on foot, vished to put a proposition to the meeting. It was then proposed by Mr. Hutchison, and seconded by Mr. Thomas:-"That this Meeting us representing the Land Renters of coolies at the same time, the Fray Bentos; the mediately after their execution. wement of the said Concession in terms of the

The motion was carried ununimously. Mr. Levysonn moved "that the Municipal" Council should consist of five Land Renters, were brought off by the boat. There was one ner in which the decrees of Government are or their Representatives, to be elected for one year at this meeting." The motion, seconded by Mr. Coure, was

The CHAIRMAN then suggested that each lot the Land Renters either present or represented any five renters of land. At the corolusion of the Mr. Gepp, seconded by Mr. Adams, these gemmembers of the Council.

conded by Mr. Gifford, that the Council be one of these men; in his watch, he always per the subject. That such act should be comrequested to draw up a Code of Regulations, formed the special duty of guarding the har- mitted in spite of them not only involves the for the approval of H.M. Consul and the Land rier grating for two hours, and then carried a credit of the Government, but is a disgrace Renters. The Chairman pointed out that be small sword, was instructed never to permit to the country. fore the Regulations obuild be put in force, any coolie to pass this barrier. On Friday Every measure must be taken throughout it would be necessary that they should night one of the coolies, who had been re- the jurisdiction of the Fu, Han, and Ken, to receive the approval of the Ministers at caught after jumping overboard in Macao, two prevent the occurrence of such offences. after having been passed at a subsequent ed overboard; in Maoao this man was liept in Meeting. The motion was then put to the irons by the wrists, after being taken out of the meeting and carried.

Adams, and carried unanimously.

concluded the business of the meeting.

PIRATICAL ATTACK ON THE BAROUE " SHANGHAL".

same evening was attacked by three large pirate on deck the lanyards of the hatch grating were, about reading and possessing within the ju. ks. The following particulars are gleaned cut, and it was let fall over the batchway; this twelvementh. The Debating Society which holders a brief statement of the circumstances from a letter sent to Messrs. Remedies & Cc. by prevented apyone from arriving on deck from has long been definict was an expression of a proposition of the purchase of the steamers Snark and Special Common of the line between Macso large junks where observed bearing down on endeavour to knock out the centre-iron-barwhich now. We owe thanks to Heaven that afterthe Shanghai, and as their object seemed palpa- ran fore and aft ways in the ventilators, which dinner speeches are rapidly becoming things The accounts of the vessels show that during ble, the captain ordered the arew to fire on the were on each side of the dock-house. These ven- of the past, but an occasion does still arise now the past three years their net profits have approaching junks, but the greater part of them tilators were apertures in the deck, fitted with and then for the display of a little post-prandial per lb. for Tsatlee kinds. About 2,000 bls. went down below and hid themselves. The 6-inch combings and covers, about twelve feet elequence of a light and graceful character. annum, and during the past six months, their part that remained on deck with the captain and long and twenty inches broad; they succeeded: With one or two exceptions we have heard not a profits have considerably exceeded this average. mate and two apprentices, fired on the pirates, in bending some of these bars, as they also did | single epech called for by the departure It has appeared to the Directors decidedly to which shots were briskly returned, and the junks some of those over the fore hatch, but could of some old friend, by a marriage or by a the advantage of the Company to acquire pos- kept nearing the barque, notwithstanding the not break them, the storekeeper locked the christening that did not betray the agony of session of this line, and thus occupy all the fire that played upon them. As soon as fore hatchway, but it was first secured with the speaker. The painful "I am sure" which "Canton Waters" with their fleet, but hitherto the junks got alongside, the captain, seeing the rope. The interpreter ran from aft forward commences every laboured sentence, the drip it has been out of their power to do so. The that further resistance was meeless, assisted so soon as the row commenced; most of the ping blow, the awful repetitions and the final heirs of the estate of the late owner have, how. the mate and the two apprentices in getting men who were put in irons as suspected were break down are familiar to all of us in the pera boat lowered, but unfortunately while getting able to speak broken English. These men re- sons of others, and also, alas, in our own. At into it the boat caps zed, and the four of them mained quiet during the row, they were on one business meetings where the debaters sit round were obliged to pass the night drifting about side underneath the fore-castle, in a sort of a table and each speech is as long or as short on the keel. At the time of the captain leaving locker, between the ship's side and windlass as need be, the whole partaking more of the the vessel there were about 100 pirates on board, end. The captain called the men to take arms, nature of a conversation than of a series of dash offer of \$60,000 was refused, and as the After drifting about until early the next morn- and both he and the mate gave them out, so speeches, the defect is not noticed. The grand following mode of payment scens beneficial to ing, the captain and the other three were re- soon as the disturbance arose; the officers had test is the erect posture, and when this is asboth parties, it is has been proposed by the lieved from their appleasant position by a pilot revolvers, the men short swords. Witness had sumed we observe at once the strained voice, Board and accepted by the executor of the boat, and observing the barque some distance run after when there he heard a number of the fixed eyeballs, the quivering lip and all the shead, bore down for her, as it was evident shots, could not say how many-about 40 or 50; other terrible proofs of uneasiness. There is a To avoid paying out a large amount in money, she was without any one in charge, and witness could not leave his post at the barrier. little of this even at ratepayers meetings, but which it is desirable to keep, to use in build- steering her own course. Found the crew on and remained there until driven away by the in perfection the lack of power to say a score ng new or repairing old steamers, or for meet-board, and that the pirates had left after clear- fire, a Chileno seaman was also on barrier of simple sentences in a natural voice and with ing any hostile opposition, should it arise,) it ing the sabin of everything convenient, and guard. The captain was on the top of the an unaffected manuer is to be witnessed at the is proposed to pay only \$20,000 in cash, and destroying the remainder. They also took house, abast the mainmast, inside the barrier, aforesaid symposia. To give practice in the then to provide for the balance by creating a from the after hatch some 6 or 8 cases of goods, in which the crew lived. The officers, i.e. mate, useful act of talking on one's legs the Debatspecial issue of five hundred new shares, (of but these were of small value. The captain second mate, boatswain and his mates run for ling Society was established, and it is a vast pity he same amount and under exactly the same finds that the pirates destroyed the whole of ward and discharged their pistols down the that the scheme should have falen through, terms and conditions as the existing shares). the ship's papers, and he sends back to have fore hatchway, this was on account of the Then we come to the local branch of the Asia-These new shares, with the \$20,000 in cash, duplicates prepared and forwarded to him. It will be given to the owners of the Spark and is difficult to understand what cause or inter-Spec. who will be restricted from placing them ruption occurred to make the pirates anddenly moon the market for sale in such a manner as abandon their prize after having obtailed full possession. Capt. Echevaria found that the This new issue will increase the liability of Braces had been cut away, and rigging damaged, the Company by \$37,500, (500 shares of \$75 the sails also being riddled by shots, but con

> THE CORBAN EXPEDITION. (North China Daily News.)

side, the two expeditions of Japanese Cathotook this means, thinking, if his 150,000 Catho-

Varnish which recembles gilding why a need, was felt whether Callan would be reached. The best. The new library would thus represent Besides these, small Horses. Fowls with tails crew kept the coolies below, because they knew current literature, but only the valuable or at Nagasaki, 12th May, 1871,

The following further evidence has been taken in the above tragedy at the U.S. Consulate, Hongkong:---

Henry Foss, 22 years, a German, has been

volice in the boats in which the coolies were brought off. These men were dressed like the shore police of Macao. (battalion national). of Land should be entitled to one vote, and that their caps bore numbers. The men who were crying manifested every reluctance to at the meeting should record their favour of descend, they held back when those of the crew whose duty it was to put them below wanted to Ballot, it was found that the five for whom the do to there were eight men specially detailed largest number of votes had been given were from the crew to be watchmen over the coolies; Mesers. Thomas, G. M. Smith, Levysohn, Hut- they carried a rattan; once below three men and having been arrested they have been chison and Coare; and on the proposition of had no opportunity to jump overboard; there were always two of the coolie-watchman at the documents. tlemen were unanimously elected as the five hatchway; these men did not perform sailor's Intercourse with foreign nations is a matter duty, they only watched; one of thes was all of the highest moment, and his Majesty has It was proposed by Mr. G. M. Smith, and se- Frenchman, Peter by name. Witness was not therefore issued repeated proclamations on Peking, to whom they would be forwarded or three days before the ship left, again jump. water and brought on board; it was between-2

who were a short sword; and always armed

Mr. Gapp proposed that a vote of thanks and 3 a.m. on Saturday morning, the 6th, this be accorded to Mr. Robertson for his able man jumped overboard; he had been let out management of the concession during his tenure of irons on Friday evening; the wind was light; It was announced by advertisement a few of Municipal jurisdiction; seconded by Mr. a boat was lowered and the man picked up, and days ago that a meeting of the surviving memput in leg-irons. In Macao, a muster took place bers of the Shanghai Debating Society held at The OHAIRMAN stated that he would in the evening about 6,0'clook, one of the coolies the Club on the 23rd ult., decided to hand be ready to hand over the funds, documents, gave the bontswain a back answer; when told over the balance of funds in the treasurer that the motion was not relevant to the ob- men; these men when placed in irons we should have them but little later then the ject for which the present meeting was called, looked extremely savage. The number of reviews. As it is, the general stores are and that the Garden Trustees having been these men was odd not even, perhaps 21, perhaps supplementing the deficiencies of the lielected by the Canton Community, and not 23. Witness was on the top-gallant-forecastle brary, and at the present rate many months Beveral members thought the borrower should holder will recklessly wish to place them on the by the Land Renters alone, it was scarcely after having been relieved at 8 o'clock, he had cannot elapse before the habit of subscription competent for the present meeting to re-elect breaklasted, and was about to wash a shirt, will be broken, and people will, buy the books when he beard a row, down helow, among the they want instead of taking those they don't The usual compliment to the Chairman coolies and turning round he saw one of the crew | want out of the library. Already there is at whose duty it was to watch below, running up | least one book club conducted on the principles the fore-batchway, and bunk-boards and pieces | which upon a somewhat more extensive scale Portuguese; the storekeeper was also rushing The freight on small parcels by the ocean The Spanish barque Shanghai, A. Echevar is, marked man about 34 years old was aft at don can, for little more than the fifteen tacks master, left this port, with a general cargo for breakfast, just before witness heard the cry which he is expected to throw away upon the Manila on Tuesday, the 22nd ultimo, and the "tab tab!" Immediately on these men arriving library, acquire all the new books he cares

efforts made by the coolies to burst the hatch. I tic Society which drags on an existence somegratings and ventilator bars. Witness first | how, and only drags along in spite of the energy The man at the wheel was the first person who There is a vice somewhere in its constitution. alarm, he was a Manilla man. The Captain steer a middle course between the popular and immediately ordered the pump to be rigged; the recondite. Either might do, but men who paid, as has been done of late), on such increase back by the pilot boat for such papers as he at this time there were about forty or lifty want the results of minute and persevering inof capital, and the total cost to the Company of requires to be replaced, and which have been Chinese in all on deck, including the prisoners | vestigation are disappointed by what to them under the fore-castle; they were not permitted appears enperficiality, while those who desire to go aft, the crew worked the pumps, the Chi- anothing more then commonplace, useful facts. nese did not assist. The storeroom where the are repelted by the artificial air of dull learning fire was supposed to have been made was a which pervades the papers and speeches. Popuportion of the between deck right aft, parti- lur lectures have had their trial and we may tioned off with planks, with a slight door in the venture to say have been found wanting. Even The Colorado, Monocacii and Palos arrived middle; the hose was passed through the hole in Mr. Bishop's private course did not meet with here this morning, meeting at the rendezvous the Captain's portion of the cabin, by which he anything like the reception it deserved, and the Benicia and Alaska. The ficet will sail in a was able to see all that took place on the deck | we now find notices in the papers offering few days for Cores. From this province of occupied by the coolies; witness heard that the lessons in the modern languages, in French Jahan sailed, by way of Iki and Tsusima is man was killed who offered to take it. The Captain literature and in science to those who desire to made no effort to bring the ship head to wind, complete their education. We observe, by the ics who, between 1590 and 1610, were banished the braces were not touched, the wind was well | way, that no opportunity of learning German is upon's crusade against Cores, and, through on the port quarter, no sail were taken in, and afforded, although a thoroughly competent Corea, China. The then emperor. Talkosams, the sea smooth. There are two boats, one on teacher of this language would, we are coneither side hanging at the davits, and two on vinced, secure a very large following. "All the lics perished, he would be rid of a faction he forehouse under which were the hospital adventures just enumerated shew that there is General Agents dangerous to his supremacy; should they suc, and gallies. One of these boats, the port one, a want which remains unsupplied, but which ceed, he would push them forward to conquer could not be got out; the captain ordered the in one way or another people are trying to boats to be got out; none of the boats were | meet. And lastly there is a considerable num-

The Japanese expedition in three months out-fitted; the boats were hore over and the ber of people deeply interested in special night their way to the Ping Yang river, in men tumbled over after, the covers of the studies. Many devote themselves to Chinese, other words gained two-thirds the length of the ventilators were hove over also. Every body but having gained some positive knowledge of Kingdom. But then, abandoned by Taikosama wanted to be first, and the confusion the language and literature are rendered thereto their fate, they were driven by winter cold prevented the best disposition being made of by so sensible of their deficiencies that they the latter then know not the use, to relinquish five boys about fourteen years of age in a small ly welcome an opportunity for discussing their step by step the ground they had so rapidly room in the same house which contained the difficulties or discoveries, and for gaining and He was appointed Governor General of the hospital and gallies. These boys, the crew were imparting information in an informal way. The Japanese account (see Klaproth's informed, were a speculation of the captain's. We have also naturalists whose leisure bours Glance at Three Kingdoms) aptly quotes They were free to move about the fore-side of are given to botany, but mostly we believe to "after the rain the earth becomes hard." the barrier. One of these boys was saved in the entomology. Their investigations are lost to The wars with Japanese cultivated among same boat with witness, also the Doctor and the world because they appear too trivial for the Coreans a warlike epirit which has five other Chinese; both before the fire broke record in the home journals, and there is no prompted the exclusive policy that has thus far out and up to the moment when witness left means in Shanghai of consolidating the succeeded so well. It is said overtures were the burning ship, the coolies were launching information gathered by individual chaervers, years of age, and is a man of nearly six feets made to the Corean authorities upon the Rus- planks at all the batchway gratings, &c.; it Now it seems to us that were all our existing with a fine white complexion, a black mouwalls, etc., should be vested in a Committee of information a short time since, for commercial was about one hour and a half, after the saids to the stifling of knowledge swept away, intercourse across the frontier. No answer was smoke was first observed that the crew were and a society formed which every one should the Renters of Land. It was only in the event made to the Russian communications, at least forced to abandon the binning wreck. The cap- be cordially invited to join without ballot or any studying foreign sciences. In common conso it is currently reported. The failure of Ad. tain and officers were the first to: leave; the formality beyond the payment of an annual submiral, Roze, with six French vessels of war, is bontawain and his mate were among the last, scription, we should get at the solution of the too fresh to have been forgotten. After two Some of the ever were anxious to be permitted difficulty. The existing libraries might be purged months stay about the month of the Han river, to go below to quell the disturbance, the Cantain by auction of the obsolete novels and other mittee was formed in 1863, but the members leading to the Corean capital Scoul, he retired, would not permit them—this was when the works upon which much money has been lost. follows the maxim live and let live. Foreigners having accomplished really nothing further coolies had calmed a little down after the first A large, very valuable and in some sense comthan a rather detailed reconnissance. As such outbreak. After leaving Macao, an impression plete library of reference would remain which was received by the crew that the voyage might | should be judiciously augmented once a month Klaproth thus enumerates Corean product have an unfortunte termination. This erose by all the books certain to mark an epoch in ling about his little ones. tions of a hundred years ago. White Cloth from a Manila seaman's story that he had made from the fibre of Urtica Japonica, embroidered | several voyages, and never without somerow, and rate order; the boilers 21 years old, and the Taffetas, Cotton cloth, Mats. Rice, Deer and when he saw the coolies, were forced and kept. that finds a place on Mudie's shelves at ould be Wulf skins, Swords, Gold, Silver, Iron, Rock down and treated as prisoners after arriving sent out, but a selection, not over rigorous, Crystal, Salt, Oil, Inke, Fans and a vellow crying the idea of danger increased, and doubt should be made, and we should receive only the

THE ATTACK IN YEDD ON MESSRS. --- DALLAS AND RING. The following notification has been issued respecting the recent attack on Mesars. Dallas

and Ring: in Boston and San Francisco, had never been The undersigned hereby informs Her Bri. naturalized, belongs to Altona, near Hamburg; tanne Majesty's subjects in Japan that in the rooms should be open every evening for readnover before in the coolie trade, shipped in case of the murderous assault committed on ing, the exchange of books, and for conversa-Hougkong on the 12th of April on board the Messrs. Dallas and Ring in the Main Street of tion. We would encourage the formation of Dolores Ugarte, by Medina, on a voyage to Cal- Yedo on the night of the 13th of January last, little sections consisting of the entomologists, ino via Macao, at \$14 per month; on a cocolic two Japanese of the military class severally the Chinese students, the men who take a voyage. The ship was 14 days before shipping named Higo Schichi and Koto Riukichi; have special interest in science, and so forth, who quested to hand in their proxies previous to the coolies, because her flag was that of a Central been convicted of an attempt to murder, and should under their own arrangements meet in Apperican State, Sun Salvador. When the have been sentenced, first to degradation to the the rooms for comparison of notes. We have flag was changed the coolies were brought common rank, and then to death by strangula- a notion that the whole scheme could be caraboard. The name of the ship was changed tion. A third man of the same class, has been ried into effect at a very moderate cost to the when the flag was changed, but the house-flag convicted of being accessory to the above crime, remaining the same, supposed-there was no and has been sentenced to degradation and to present library subscription and add five tacks

ceived in two batches, the first was about 460 in the presence of the Japanese Secretary of the annual subscription would be twenty taols, in number. Believes that the stoppage was this Legation, who also verified the bodies of a much smaller sum than the greater part of occasioned by another coolie-ship receiving her the two criminals condemned to death, im ne now pay-for nothing. But whether this Shamien, is prepared to undertake the man- crew were specially instructed to prevent any | The sentences have been made known this into operation, we trust most devoutly that we of the coolies from jumping overboard. Some morning in the annexed Proclamation of the shall be spared the introduction of another

of the coolies asked of the crew what sort of Supreme Government, which was at once posted | stern sentinel, in the shape of a new Public a place Callao was. Had remarked some of in various public places at Yedo, and will be Library and Museum, to guard the approache the coolies, 8-or-10 at least, crying when they published throughout the Empire in the man. to the tree of knowledge. policeman always on duty on board the ship, usually notified.

HARRY S. PARKES. H.B.M.'s Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipolentiary in Japan, a Yedo, 17th May, 1871.

PROCLAMATION. (Translation.)

On the night of January 13th, certain per sons wounded some Englishmen in Nabecho it Kanda. Vigilant search was made for them. punished in the manner shown in the annexed

(Signed) Dai Jo Kan. - 3rd Month.

A LEARNED SOCIETY FOR SHANGHAI

and everything connected with the monicie to be more quick in going down below, he said hands to the promoters of the new Public Lipality to the Council on the let of Jane, "you-too-much-ee saucy." The boatswain gave brary and Museum; on condition that should from which date their functions might him a slap on the side of his neck, the Society be reconstructed it shall have the begin. He also mentioned that in the course and be then said "We will wash our hands in privilege of holding its meeting in the Library of next month the interest on the balance of the blood of the Europeans." The boutswain building. One naturally feels some regret at the Queen's garden indemnity, amounting to then harried the man below, he was afterwards the decease of a Society which at its beginning \$390, would fall due. The sum was vested in put in leg-irons. Witness had noticed the in- promised good if not exactly great things. But H.M. Consul and two other Trustees, but with terpreter often in conversation with one man, enterprises of the kind have been rather overtheir concurrence he would be ready, to place and always in a guarded voice, and learnt that done in Shanghi, and the multiplicity of means this amount at the disposal of the Council for, this Chinaman was a spy in the captain's con- of mutual improvement seems to have retarded the repairs of roads and bridges, it having been fidence. When the captain came on board he rather than advanced the end proposed. The stipulated by H.M. Government that the funds was furnished with the numbers of a number of present library is a dismal failure, chiefly, we should be so applied when the Indemnity was men, coolies, who were desperate characters: imagine, because nobody takes any trouble these men were leg-ironed two and two, on about it. The selection of books must be left to A proposition was made that the Trustees Friday morning, the odd man; or twenty first, chance or to some malevolent person in England of the Garden Indemnity Food be thanked being put in wrist irons. These men were who selects the volumes which nobody else will for their services, and requested to continue supposed to have been pirates; the interpreter buy. Properly managed, the books of the month their functions, but the chairman pointed out had been furnished with the numbers of these would come out at the end of the month, and

of wood flying up after him. This man was a longht to guide the management of the library. up the batchway at the moment. The interpreter, ateamore is also so low that anybody who has Thomaso, a Macao Portuguese, a short pock- a literary friend or a competent agent in Lon-

observed emoke coming up the bood of the and bard work of some of its active members. after ventilator, this was as near as could be It is venerable chiefly for its antiquity, but it udged about one hour after the row began, ought to be well supported which it is not, saw smoke issuing from below, and gave the and we think it is the seeking for papers which

thought, or which every educated person is supposed to read. Not every three-volum novel

jumping overboard, fire was coming out of the | English. Whoever is appointed to act as London

mass of French and German contributions of knowledge such volumes as would be welcomed in Shanghai. Of such a society as we propose there would naturally be general meetings onco a month or so for special purposes; the reading of papers after the manuer of the R.A.S., or the dest livery of a lecture after that of the P.L.S. But the supporters, but supposing that we take the per annum to it in commutation of all the plan or anything like it be or be not carried

THE PAST SILK SEASON.

(N. C. Herald.) The Season just past was opened during the first week in June, when about 1,000 bls. of new crop silk had arrived, (chiefly Lingho. Song-ling and Hochow Teatless) for which there was a very brisk competition, causing prices to open at unprecedently high range. giving a laying down cost of fully 1/6 a 2/0 per lb. over London values; Chop 3 Teatlees were taken at Tis. 625 (33/4), flag No. 31 Tauetfoong) at Tls. 580 per picul (31/0) 41 to 5 Tantless from Tis. 520 a 540 per picul (27/8 a 28/9 per 1b.) common Karshing Taysasms Tls. 420 a 410 per picul (22/6 a 23/6 per lb.) and fair to good Chineum Taysaams at Tls. 430 a 450 per picul (22/11 a 24/0 per 1b.) These were the prices current for the first Englishand French mails in June : after their departure, owing partly to an excessive advance in Exchange, and also to the large arrivals. (estimated at fully 11,000 bales), prices roceded in an irregular manner, the decline varying from Tis. 20 a 40 per picul; at which reduction considerable barter and joint-account transactions took place. The month's business amounted to fully 10,000 bls. and the arrivals to 14,500 bls., the largest seen since '65, when the figures were 12,050 bls. and 15,050 bls. In July about 4,000 bis, were taken on a basis of 32/0 for "Water mark" No. 3 Teatlee and 31/6 for Tsoping's (chick) 3 Teatles: there excessive rates naturally caused large arrivals, and on 28th July total receipts reached 22,500 bls. During August, telegrams were received advising stagnaut market in London, but these did not stop business, and considerable joint-account settlements took place at full rates; and it was

not until the startling intelligence of declaration of war by France against Prussia reached us, (on 11th August) and buyers realized the licastrous position of their purchases, that transactions ceased. But the suspension of business did not last long, for natives being willing to self at a decline of 2/6 a 3/6 per 16, induced buyers to re-enter the market and buy at this reduction, to reduce the average cost, of their earlier purchases. September was rather a quiet month, settlements being under 2,000 lbs., a fair proportion of which were for account of a speculative native, who purchased to hold for higher rates: -Chops were sold at 29/0 a 29/6 per lb. Early in October a dragging business was done, but subsequently, owing partly to reports that total supplies would be barely 35,000 blan a fair demand sprang up, chiefly for common Tastlecs. and re-recls chasses, and purchases were made on a basis of 26/6 for good 4 Teatles and 26/0 for Red Peacock. Arrivals were coming forward only sparingly, and unsold stock was reduced to barely 3,500 bls. During the latter part of this month the Silk market was very quiet. Chinese being almost the only buyers:total settlements reached now 23,000 bis., the smallest seen since 1866. The holidays in the earlier part of November interfered with business, but as holders became auxious sellers, and prospects of an early peace looked promising. trade was resumed, and towards the end of the month a fair amount of Silk was settled at 30/6 per lb. for best thirds Tsatlee, 26/0 per lb. for "Red Peacock:" re-revied descriptions attracted attention and were taken at 31/0 % 31/6 per lb. for extra and 29/0 to 30/0 per lb for fair market Mybash Hainings, and 29/0 to 29/6 vancing prices; 31/0 to 31/6 per Ib, being, paid for best chop 3 Tentleer. The total settlements were then 27,000 bls. against 31,000 bls. previous ---year. In January some 2,500 bls. found purchasers, and the total exports then was fully 7,000 bis. less than previous season. During February the market was quieter, and settlements reached only 1,700 lbs., taken at slightly enhanced rates. Prices advanced during the early part of March, chop 3 Tsatlee reaching 32/0 per lb., and " Red Peacock " 27/11 per lb. Arrivals were trivial and a great diminution in stocks was noticeable; being estimated at 900 lbs. Only 300 bls. were settled during the latter part of this month, chiefly Szechuen. other Silks on offer being undesirable. Barely 1,000 bls, were settled in April, and in May transactions did not reach 300 lbs., which give n total of 33.770 bls., showing a decrease of 9,200 bls. as compared with season 1867-70. LI-HUNG-CHANG.

(Courier)

Li-Hung-Chung is the second of five brothers. born in the year Jen-wood or 2nd year of the Emperor Tau-kwang, in the district of Ho-fei. prefecture of Liu-chow, province of Ngag-hway. His father was a literary man, but not in very good circumstances; he, however, managed to give his sons a good education. Li-Hung-" Chang, after taking the different degrees in the competitive government examinations, at last became a member of the Han-lin College in the 28th year of Tau kwang, about 1848. He after this went home, and in course of time the rebels having invaded Ngan-hway, he raised a local militia, and put himself with his force at the disposal of the Governor-General of the Liang Kiang. This officer having been removed. In joined Tseng-kwo-fan, under whom be gradually advanced to the rank of a Taoutai and commander of a division of Tseng's Grand Army in Chekiang. In the first year of the . Emperor Tung-chi, about 1861, he was recommended by Tseng-kwo-fan as acting Footai of Kiangsoo, and soon went energetically to work to clear this province of rebels, though the mid of the Ever Victorious Army under Col. Gordon. On the fall of Soochow he ordered all the Rebel Wangs to be beheaded, notwithstanding that he had guaranteed their lives previous to the surrender. The Government at Peking having approved of this bloody deed, confirmed him in his office; the Emperor, besides, bestowed upon him the Yellow

Jacket and the title of Tai-tze-Shaou-paou, or Junior Guardian to the Heir apparent. After the fall of Nanking, he succeeded Teeng-kwofan as Governor-General of the two Kiang, and Enrl: he also received the double-eyed peacock. feather. Tsenc-kwo-fan and be changed places in

October 1866, when he went against the Niénfeis, and cleared the north from these troubles. Liang Hoo, in 1867, and from there went against the Mahommedan robels in the west of the Empire. After the Mussacre of Tientsin he was succeeded by his elder brother Li-Han-Chang, as Governor General of the Liang Hoo. and went to Chihli as Governor General, where he is now. Li-Hong-Chang is now about 49 atache, and altogether of pleasing appearance. He is very inquisitive and active, and fond of versation he is jocular and more liberal in some of his opinions than most Chinese officials. In his administration he is known to be just. and according to Chinese ideas a man who.

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SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Com against Fire on Buildings and Goods, at current BARRELS - BASS'S OCTOBER. RUSSELL & Co. th 866, Hongkong, 7th February, 1867.

> PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above Insurance Company, are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the Current Rates RUSSELL & Co. Lt 573" Hongkong: 2nd March, 1867. YANG-TEZE INSURANUE ASSOCIA-

TION OF SHANGHAL. DOLICIES granted on Marine Ricks to all parts of the World, at current rates. In addition to the usual brokerage, this Assointion returns to the assured Twenty per cent. of its yearly profits, divided pro rate to the net premium contributed.

RUSSELL & Co... tf 1089 Hongkong, 1st January, 1870. SATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above-named Company, are prepared to grant Policies gainst Sea Risks at current rates. RUSSELL & Co.

tf 1022 Hongkong, 1st April, 1865. NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. IN BOM and after this date the following rates will be charged on SHORT PERIOD neurances, viz:-Not exceeding I month t of the annual rate bove I month. and not exceed- > 3

Above 3 months and not exceed- \$ 6 Above 6 months the full annual rate. HILMAN & Co., Agents, North British & Mercantile Insurance Company te 696 Hongkong, 7th April 1868.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. I MIR following rates will be charged in future for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz :---Not exceeding 10 days: I of the annual rate. | boyrs: or Dock, and the Cargoes of such Ships: Not exceeding 1 months 2 do do do. Above I mouth and not i exceeding 3 months. Above 3 months and not to do. exceeding 6 months....

NOTICE...

NORTON, LYALL & Co.,. Agenis the Queen Insurance Company tf. 242 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY CAPITAL, Two MILLION STEREING.

THE Undersigned baving been appointed Agent for the above Company at this port, is prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extend of \$10,000, on Buildings or on Societé anonyme libre au Capital de 6,000,000 Goods stored therein. NORTON, LYALL & Co. if 241 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870. THE GUARDIAN FIRE AND LIFE AS SURANCE COMPANY. No. 11, LOMBARD STREET, LONDON, E.C. ESTABLISHED 1821. And empowered by special Acis of Parliament.

Subscribed Capital -£2,000,000, Sterling. L'HE Undersigned having been duly appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to take risks against Fire, on the usual

OLYPHANT & Co. tf 2317 Hongkoug, 7th December, 1869, IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. TINTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance

Detached & semi-detached Dwell-) ing Houses removed from town, } i per cent. Other dwelling Houses, used strictly as such, and their contents. Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and } GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., - Agents Imperial Fire Insurance Company

tf 864 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865. TORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached & somi-detached Dwell- per cent. ing Houses, removed from town, perannum and their contents. Otherdwelling Housesused strictly 1 as such, and their contents.

Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and] their contents. GILMAN & Co... Agente, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.

tf 886. Hongkong, 10th March, 1865. HROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for SHORT PERIOD neurances, viz :--Not exceeding Ten days t of the unnual rates Not exceeding 1 month ? Above I month, and not | 1 exceeding three months.

Above 3 months, and not | a exceeding six months.... Above six months the full annual rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company.

tf 678 Hongkong, 26th August, 1869. PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY NE S H.P. Horizortal Steam ENGINE with Boiler and Mountings, complete. THE Undersigned having been appointed Two Albion PRINTING PRESSES. Agents to the above Company at this

Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. os douglas lapraik & Co. if 717 Hongkong, 9th November, 1868. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE IN E Undersigned having been appointed

L. Agents of the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$60,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored thereon. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. tf Hongkong, 24th August, 1864. NOTICE.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE annual rates for Fire Insurance on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will remain as follows until further no-Detached and semi-detached

Dwelling Houses (removed from } a per cent, surances, viz:the town) and their contents. Other Dwelling Houses (similarly) situated) and their centents Offices and Godowns and their ? contents. Other Risks by Special arrangement.
The following rates will be charged for SHORT PERIOD Policies:-Not exceeding 10 days 4th per cent; - Not exceeding...... I month # per cent.

Above 1 month, and not \ 3 exceeding..... Above 3 months, and not 6 Above@ onthe the fullanunal rate of 1 ROBT. S. WALKER & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company. tf 1763 Hongkong, 13th September, 1869. CONDON-AND PROVINCIAL MARINE

INSURANCE COMPANY. IMIE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. tf 471 Hongkong, 6th March, 1868.

UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, (OF LONDON). Messrs. TRUBNER & Co., Paternoster Row, MHE Undersigned boving been appointed -Agents for the above Company at this hama, are prepared to accept Marine Risks at

Messrs. BATES, HENDY & Co., Old Jewry, Current Rates. OILMAN & Co., tf 437 Hongkong, 9th March, 1871.

Insurances. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY, or San Francisco, Calabornia'.

OSSES payable without extra charge in LA SAN FRANCISCO. NEW YORK, LI-VERPOOL, or LONDON. MERCHANDISE with average accepted at current rates by STEAMERS and strictly A 1 SAILING VESSELS. OVERLAND RAILROAD. Risks Free of Particular average accepted row SAN FRANCISCO to any city in the

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INSURANCE COMPANY. TIHIS Company grants Policies on Marine A. Risks at the established local Rates, to all parts of the World. .In addition to the usual brokerage, thirty per Cent (30%) of the Profits will be returned as Bonus to all contributors of business; whe-

to the amount of Not Premis contributed. No Policy Fees charged. WM. PUSTAU & Co... Agents. tf 1402 Hongkong, 27th July, 1870.

NOTICE. BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY

LIMPTED. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Insurance Company, are prepared to issue Policies against Marino risks on Freight and Cargo at Corront rates, subject to a discount of 15 % BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

tf 1753 Hongkong, 1st October, 1870. THE ROYAL EXCHANGE ASSURANCE OF LONDON. THE Undersigned baving been appointed Agents of the above Corporation, are prepered to grant Policies against Fire at current

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents, 4. Prana. tf. 1569 Hongkong, 26th August, 1870. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CO. MUR Insuring Houses and other Buildings Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufactur ing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Haralso, Ships Building and Repairing; Barges and other Vessels on Navigable Rivers and Canals, and Goods on board such Vessels. I throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in Foreign Countries, from loss or Damage.

The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE to the extent of \$60,000 on any one First Closs Risk. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkodg, 1st January, 1867. COMPAGNIE LYONNAISE D'ASSU RANCES MARITIMES. de france (un quart versé.)

HIS Company, being associated for pur-poses of Marine Insurance in the Far East. with the LEOYD FRANCATS, Capital of 6,000,000 fres., And with the CIE FRANCAISE D'ASSURANCES MARITIMES, Capital of 5,000,000 fres.

Offices to the Assured the Security of a collective Capital of17,000,000 fres. Agencies established, and Policies made avable in Lyons, Paris, London, Marseilles, Caloutta, Bombay, Yokohama, Hongkong and

The undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above-named Company, are prepared to accept Marine risks, foreign or coastwise, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co.

tf 1377 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1870. THE LONDON ASSURANCE. INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER MID MASSOTT AIRGUNUSUS THE PIEST,

A.D. 1720. THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation, are repared to gight Insurances as follows:-MARINE DEPARTMENT Policies at current rates, payable either here. in London, or at the principal Ports of India, 0.798 Tons Register, and 500 nom. H.P., taking

China, and Australia. FIRE DEPARTMENT Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates. LIFE DEPARTMENT Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000 on feasonable terms.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. 1927 Hongkong, 1st November, 1870. THE LIVERPOOL AND BOMBAY TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against farine Risks at current rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tf 777 Hongkong, 25th April 1870. IANOHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COM-TO PANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agenta for the above Company at Hong-kong, Cantoa, Foochow, Shanghai, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

tf 1958 Hongkong, 15th, October, 1868. LONDON AND URIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE. 137. LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON. ESTABLISHED 1843.

THE Undersigned is authorised to accept risks on behalf of this Office, by First Class Steamers and Sailing Ships. A. McIVER, Agent. tf Hongkong, 1st July, 1867. HONGKONG INSURANCE COMPANY

FITHE undereigned having been appointed Stitt, Master, will load at this and Whampon, Agents of the above Company, are pre- and have early desputch for the above port, pared to issue Marine Policies on the usual terms to the extent of £10,000, on any first for which apply to A, G. HOGG & Co.

tf 538 Hongkorg, 17th March, 1869. NOTICE

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. TAROM and after this date the following rates the hove Port.

I will be charged SHORT PERIOD In. Not exceeding Ten days & of the annual rate Not exceeding almonth loftheannual ride Above 1 month. and not exceed. 3

Above 3 months and not exceed. - 6 ... do. do. Above 6 months the full annual rate. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. ti 675 Hongroug, 18th August, 1869.

THE American Barque MERCHANTS MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. ENGAGED EXCLUSIVELY IN MARINE

INSURANCE. Paid up Capital - \$500,000.00. HIE Undersigned having been duly appoint-THE A PAmerican Schooner

ed Agents of the above Company, are propared to accept Marine Risks on the usual OLYPHANT & Co. er 1292 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1869. OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE

COMPANY LONDON. INCORPORATED 1859. CAPITAL, £1,000,000. Port, Shanghai, Poochow, Hankow, and Yoko- / HHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept Marine Rinks and issue Policies | above port. at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

M 1351 Houghong, 7th June, 1867.

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nent, Glasgow, and Mesers. David Corsar & Sons ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. of 419 Hougkong, January, 1867. **炭** 煤 記 築

WING-KEE COAL SHOP. THE Proprietor of Wing-Rue Shop begs to inform the Public that his Shop has been established since 1855, at Endicott's Lane, and that he has always a great quantity of Best COAL in store for Sale. Gentlemen or Shipmeaters wishing to patronise bim, are requeste to apply at his Shop. 1y 695 Hongkong, 24th April, 1871.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL THE undersigned Coal Shop has been B 1 MOVED to the Premises, No. 89, Endi coff Lane. The Proprietors beg to notify that they have always on hand all sorts of Coal fo sale at very moderate prices. Gentlemen who favor them with their patronage are requested to apply to the above address. 12m 1291 Hongkong, 7th July, 1870.

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For particulars regarding freight, insurance or passage, please apply at the Company's Office.

A. MCIVER, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co. e Office. Hongkong, 1st June, 1871. FOR LONDON (Should sufficient inducement offer.)

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FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY. HE A 1 British Clipper Barque "OHARLOTTE ANDREWS," having the greater portion of her ourgo engaged will have immediate despatch for the abov

For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co. tf 921 Hongkong, 29th May, 1871, FOR LONDON. THE A I Clipper Ship

"NORMAN COURT" Captain Andrew Shewan, with a considerable portion of her cargo engaged, will load at Whampon and Macao. -For freight, apply to Messrs. Deacon & Co.,

Canton. -TURNER & Co. tf 865 Hongkong, 18th May, 1871. FOR NEW YORK. THE A 1 14 Years British Clipper Ship

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tf 914 Hongkong, 1st June, 1871. FOR MANILA. THE Spanish Brig

Captain Barcelo, will have quick despatch for For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. tf 868 Hongkong, 18th May, 1871 FOR NEW YORK. THE German Ship

ALIGNOS PARADINA will fond here and at Whimpon for the above port, and will have quick desputch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. tf 670 Hongkong, 19th May, 1871. FOR PORTLAND (OREGON).

"GARIBALDI," Capt. A. Noyes, will have a quick dispatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZABIO & Co. tf 787 Hongkong, 8th May, 1871. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

"ADMIRAL." Smith, Mester, will have quick despatch for For Freight, apply to
OLYPHANT & Co. he above port. tf 931 Hongkong, 30th May, 1871.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE A. Hritish Ship

Rice, Master, will have early despatch for the For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. uf 786 Hongkong, 8th May, 1871.

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR SHANGHAI via NINGPO. (Taking cargo at through rates to HANKOW) THE U.S. N. Company's Steamer "

will be despatched for the above Port TO MORROW, the 10th inst., at noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to OLYPHANT & Co.,

3d 981 Hougkong, 8th June, 1871. OR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHO

THE Steamship Captain Ashton, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 10th instant,

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. 3d 979 Hongkong, 8th June 1871. FOR SAIGON AND SINGAPORE. HE Steamship

"FUSIYAMA" Captain Callaghan, will be despatched for the

Containing the names of all the Articles of above Ports TO-MORROW, the 10th instant, For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. 3d 980 Hongkong. 8th June, 1871. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA. THE Steamship

> 'HINDOSTAN! H. de Smidt, Commander, will leave for t above places on THURSDAY next, the 15th instant at 2 P.M. Despatches will close at 1.30 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. 9d 972 Hongkong, 7th June, 1871.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamship BOMBAY CARRIAGES MADE OR REPAIRED, on willleave for the above place shortly after the General Post-Office,

> A. MolVEB, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, 3rd June, 1871. FOR NEW YORK. THE British Ship

SIR HARBY PARKES, Chapman, Muster, will load here and Whampon for the above port. For Freight, apply to AUGUSTINE REARD & Co. 6w 978 Hongkong, 8th June, 1871.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE. ADEN. SUEZ. MALTA, BRIN-DISI, MARSEILLES, SOUTHAMPTON AND LONDON:

BOMBAY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA. TIME PRINKULAR AND ORIENTAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship cisco. " AUSTRALIA," Capt. C. A. WHITE, with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for Southampton, via Suez Canal, General Post Office. on FRIDAY, the 9th June, 1871, at noon. Cargo will be received on board until noon and Specie and Parcels until 2 P.M. on the 8th

For Particulars regarding Freight and Pes- may be sent from Hongkong, or from any of sage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, the British Post Office Agencies in China and Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF Japan, to Spain and the Balearic and the Cana-PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. A Written Declaration of the Contents | following Regulations. and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the to the address of the person for whom the Company's Agents, with the Bills of Lading or packet is intended, and the address of the sen-

themselves responsible for any Detention or and numbers, and the prices of the articles. Prejudice which may happen from the incorrectness in such declaration. ing a goods shipped by their Steamers for and so forth, which cannot be sent in open Europe through Egypt, either by rail, or by, cover, may be inclosed in bage of linen, paper, Canal in their own Steamers, or in vessels or other material, tied at the neck with a string, employed for the purpose.

the terms and conditions of the Company's the contents. Black Bills of Lading. Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 31st May, 1871.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES: PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILA. PORT SAID, MARSEILLES: PONDICHERY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA,

BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS. PORT LOUIS. ON FRIDAY, the 16th June, at noon, the Company's Steamship "DONNAI," Commandant RECODIT, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal

places of Europe.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 5 P.M. on the 15th June. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are required. For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.

THROUGH U.S. MAIL LINE

Hongkong, 3rd June, 1871.

CHINA AND JAPAN TO NEW YORK. PACIFIC MAIL'S. S. COMPANY

IN CONNECTION WITH THE

CENTRAL AND UNION PACIFIC

RAILBOAD COMPANIES.

THE Steamship AMERICA, Captain E. R. WARSAW, will leave Hougkong for San Francisco via Yokohama on MONDAY, the 12th lune next, at 3 o'clock P.M., taking Passengers, Mails and Freight, for the United States, Canada, Central and South America, and Europe. A Steamer of the Company will leave Shang nai, via the Inland Sea Ports, about same date; and make close connection at Yokohama. The AMERICA will be due at San Francisco

July 14th, whence darly Passenger trains and lenburgh Schwerin and Mecklenburgh Strelitz, daily Freight trains are run over the Central Ducky of Brunswick, Grand Ducky of Oldenand Union Pacific Railroad Lines for New burg (the Principality of Birkenfeld excepted), York and for all the principal cities in the the Duchy of Anhalt, the Austrian Provinces, interior and upon the Atlantic Seaboard. The Belgrade Bervia (Belgrade excepted), Montenetime between Sau Francisco and New York by gro, Schleawig and Holstein, 30 cents per 1 First-class Passenger trains is air days and onuce. twenty hours; and the distance 3,312 miles. The Silver Pulace Sleeping Care are run 32 cents per 1 ounce. through on these trains, making Drawing Room Cars by day, and Sleeping Cars by night; and are of the latest and best American pattern, per I ounce. being unexcelled for comfort and convenience. At New York, Passengers bave selection of various lines of Steamers to England, France

and Germany. Through Tiskets and Bills of Lading are issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, and San Francisco, for the Overland Railroad, and to Europe by connecting Lines of Steamers. The Overland Railroad Companies Guarantee 12 days time for Silk and 18 days for Teas and General Merchandise, between San Francisco and New York. Favorable arrangements have been made for | General Post Office.

Through Passengers and Freight to America from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and from Swatow, Amoy and Ecochow. Value and weight of Parcel Packages re

quired; all Packages should be marked to ad. | viz. :-No Freight received after moon of the 11th prox. No Parcel Packages received after 5 P.M. same day. ..

For further information as to Passage or Freight, apply at the Agency of the Company, General Post Office, T. A. HARRIS.

Hongkong, May 18th, 1871.

Post-Office Notifications.

A mail will close. For Amoy, by H.I.M.S. Fei Hoo, to-day, the 9th instant, at 5 P.M. For Shanghai,-Per Rona, to-morrow, the 10th instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Forchow.—Per Yesso, to-morrow, the 10th instant, at 4.30 P.M. For Saigon and Singapire, Per Fusiyama, to-morrow, the 10th instant, at 4 30 P.M. For Singapore, Penang, and Bombay.—Per Enieu, on Tuesday, the 13th instant, at 9.30 A.M. For Singapore, Penaug, and Caloutta.—Per Indian Mail Packet Glenariney, on Thursday, the 15th instant, at 1.30 P.M. For Singapore, Penang, and Calcutta.-Per Indian Muil Packet Hindostan, on Thursday, be 15th instant, at 1.30 P.M.

MAILS BY THE "ENGLISH PACKET" The English Contract Packet "AUSTRA-LIA," will be dispatched with the usual Mails for Europe, &c., on FRIDAY, the 9th June. at noon. Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted

until 5 P.M. on the 8th June. The Post-Office will be open until 7 P.M. on tho 8th June. -Letters, &c., may be posted during the night in the box left open for their reception. Letters for registration will be received until lo A.M. on the 9th June.

Letters may be posted until 10 A.m. on the 9th June, without late fee. Letters posted after 10 A.M. on the 9th June, will not be forwarded unless the Late Fee of 18 cents each as well as the postage is prepaid.

The Latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 11 A.M., and for Newspapers, Books, or Patterns 10 A.M. on the 9th June. Late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom vil Brindisi, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 11.30 A.M. to the time of sailing, on payment of a Late Fee of 48 cents each in addition to the postage.

S. BARFF. pro. Postmaster General. Hongkong, 31st May, 1871.

MAILS BY THE "UNITED STATES PACKET! The United States Mail Packet AMERICA. will be disputched on MONDAY, the 12th instant at 3 P.M., with the Mails-For Yokohama, San Francisco, the United

States' and the United Kingdom. The Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Books, Newspapers, &c., until 2.30 p.m. Letters can be posted on board the Packet from 2.30 p.m. to 2.50 p.m., on payment of a Late Fee of 12 cents in addition to the Postage. The Prepayment of the Postage to all the above places by this route is compulsory. Correspondence insufficiently prepaid will be forwarded by the English Packets. Correspondence addressed to Yokohama, and the United States, must be superscribed per

Kingdom must be superscribed "via San Fran-S. BARFF. pro. Postmaster General.

AMERICA, and that addressed to the United

Hongkong, 2nd June, 1871. It is hereby notified that, in future, Patterns r Samples of Merchaudize of no intrinsic value ry Islands. via Southampton, subject to the

1st.—The postage must be prepaid. 2nd .- There, must be no writing, in addition with Parcels; and the Company do not hold der other than a manufacturer's or trade mark 3rd.—The Patterns or Samples must be sent in covers open at the ends, so as to be easy of The Company reserve the option of forward- examination. Samples, however, of seeds, drugs. so that the Officers of the Post Office may be Shippers are particularly requested to note able to satisfy themselves as to the nature of

4th.-No Packet of Patterns must exceed two feet, British, in length, or one foot, British, in width or depth. No article likely to injure the contents of the mail, bags, or the person of any Officer of the Post Office, may be sent through the Post as a If either of the foregoing rules be infringed,

the packet will not be forwarded The rates of postage chargeable will be as follows:--Not exceeding 2 oz., 8 cents. Above 2 oz., and not exceeding 4 oz., 16 cents

Every additional 4 ounces, 16 cente, F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General. Seneral Post Office.

Hongkong 18th February, 1871. Armngements having been made by the rench Post Office for embarking and disembarking the British Overland Mails to and from France at Brindisi, thereby necessitating the payment by the French Post Office of a transit rate to the Italian Post Office, it has been determined to augment the rate of postage on letters exchanged in the direct Mails between Hongkong and the French Post Office.

The rates of postage chargeable in Hongkong ipon letters sent to France and countries through France will, in future, be as follows, To France, Algeria, the French Offices in Turkey (except Constantinople), and the Office at Tunis and Tangiers, 22 cents per 1 ounce. To Jaffa, Beyrouth, Tripoli (Syria), Latakia; Alexandretta, Messina, Rhodes, Smyrna, Mity-

lene, the Dardanelles, Gallipoli, Ineboli, Ke-

seun, Salonica, Sumsoun, Sinope, Sulina, Trebizond, Tultcha, Varna, Galatz, and Ibraila, 22 cents per 1 ounce. To Spain and Gibraltar, 24 cents per 1 opuce. To the Grand Duchles of Luxemburgh and Baden, Belgium, the Netherlands, Portugal, Rhenish Prussia, Bavaria, Wartemburg, the Principalities of Hohenzollern, Birkenfold, Hesse Homburg, Lippe, Schwartzlung-Rudol-stadt and Renes, the Duchies of Nassau, Saxe-Coburg-Gotha and Saxe-Meiningen-Hildburgbausen, Hesse-Electoral, Hesse-Darmstadt, the Ducty of Saxe-Weimar-Eisenach, the Free Cities of Frankfort-on-the Maine, Hamburgh, Bremen, and Lubeck, Switzerland, and Italy, 26 cents per ‡ ounce. To Countries beyond Sea without distinction, 28 cents per } ontica. To Prussia (Rhenish Provinces excepted). Hanover, Saxony, the Grand Duchies of Meck-

To Denmark, the Papal States and Austria. To Moldavia, Wallachia, Turkey in Europe,

Sweden, Norway, Poland, and Russis, 44 cents Pre-payment is compulsory in the case of Letters for Spain, Gibraltar, Countries beyond Sea, Servia (Belgrade excepted), and Mon-

Letters may be registered to all the above places, except Spain, Portugal and Gibraltar, and the Austrian Provinces; the fee for registration is the same amount as the postage on each letter respectively. Newspapers and Prices Current cannot be

F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster-General.

Hongkong, 13th February, 1871.

It is hereby notified for general information Return Passage Tickets issued for Yokohama that on and after the let August next, the and other Japan ports at one and a half re- Commission chargeable on Money Orders issued upon the United Kingdom at Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama will be as follows,

On sums not exceeding £2......18 cents. Above £2 and not exceeding £5;...36 Above £5 and not exceeding £7...54 Above £7 and not exceeding £10..72 F. W. MITCHELL.

Postmaster General.

Hongkong, 15th July, 1870.

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